Rush 4 Fan

The Weather
Today—Cloudy, with occasional rain. Temperature in the lower 50s. Yesterday—High, 50; low, 39.

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Rival Georg . Governors Muster Forces

Teacher Pay Bill Ready For Action by Va. Delegates

Million Conditionally Added to Measure; Whitehead Liquor Tax Plan Rejected

Richmond, Va., Jan. 15 (AP).—The school teachers' pay-increase bill advanced today into position for consideration in the House of Delegates Thursday after the addition of one million dollars in conditional funds in the House appropriations committee.

Soon after this measure was reported favorably, the House finance committee killed the Robert Whitehead bill to reimpose a former 10 per cent tax on liquors and wines, although a possibility remained that an effort might be made on the floor of the House to revive the proposal if there appeared any chance thereby to enlarge the school appropriation.

The administration's labor bills, outlawing the closed shop and postponing strikes or lockouts in public utilities until the State can step in, went into the hands of a Senate courts of justice subcommittee this afternoon for "clarifying" amendments. The bills, already passed overwhelmingly by the House, will be studied by the subcommittee at 9:30 a. m. tomorrow and again by the full committee at 10. Favorable action would send them to the Senate floor when it reconvenes at noon.

Union Reports Voted

Another bill recommended by Governor Tuck to permit establishment of State rent controls to supplant expiring Federal regulations also wound up in a subcommittee today. Five members of the House Courts of Justice committee, including Walter H. Scott of Roanoke, the chief patron, will report back to the full committee at 11 a. m. tomorrow.

Along with these developments came other important committee action. The House Labor committee, after tying 5-5 at a morning session on the Charles H. Phillips bill to require labor unions to register and report semi-annually to the commissioner of labor, reconsidered its vote this afternoon and unanimously reported the bill with an amendment requiring annual financial reports instead of twice a year.

Action on Whitehead Bill

Defeat of the bill by Delegate Whitehead, of Nelson, to reestablish the liquor-wine tax repealed in 1942 came on a voice vote with Whitehead voting to report the measure, but making no further effort to get it approved. However, he told the committeemen that sponsors of the bill reserved the right to seek discharge of the committee and bring the proposal to the floor of the House later, if developments on the school appropriations measure warranted the effort.

The Senate has passed a bill of its own holding the total to $6,500,000, but the House committee acted on its own measure, instead of the Senate's, so the measure will have to retravel its course in the Senate after House passage.

$5,841,000 for Pay Raise

With the exception of the one million-dollar conditional item (conditional on funds existing in the Treasury) and funds to permit pay increases for personnel of the State schools for the blind and deaf at Staunton and Newport News, however, the House bill conforms with the Senate program.

As the bill now stands, $5,841,000 of the $6,500,000 total would go directly to raising teacher salaries through distribution on the basis of average daily pupil attendance. The special session was called for

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Girl's Nude Body, Cut in Half, Found In Los Angeles Lot

Los Angeles, Jan. 15 (U.P.).—A beautiful young girl's nude body, cut in half at the waist, was found today on a vacant lot in southwest Los Angeles.

The victim, about 16 years old, showed signs of having been beaten and the corpse was mutilated almost beyond recognition.

Veteran police officers said it was one of the most brutal mutilation murder in recent memory here.

The area in which it was found has been known as a "lover's lane."

Police said she was about 5 feet, 2 inches tall, had brown hair and gray-blue eyes.

The possibility that the victim may have been slain elsewhere and dumped in the vacant lot was advanced by homicide detectives who said there were no clothes, jewelry or other possessions on the lot where the body was found.

Ford Reduces Car Prices as Much as $50

Detroit, Jan. 15 (AP).—The Ford Motor Co., moving contrary to the general industry trend of recent months, announced today immediate price reductions on its current models, with the decrease amounting to as much as $50 on some.

Ford's announcement did not give a breakdown on the reduction by models.

Last year Ford forced into frequent shutdowns by materials shortages, produced only 392,917 passenger cars and 198,767 trucks. At the year's end the company had unfilled orders for more than 1,500,000 units.

The price cut was unexpected and took other car makers by surprise. It came only a few weeks after Ford spokesmen had declared the company was losing an average of $80 on every unit produced.

Startles Auto Industry

Saying the crisis of the aftermath of the war seems to have been passed, Henry Ford 2d, president of the company, said production was now steadier and that the company had made a "modest profit' for the last three months of 1946, and we intend to continue to operate in the black."

Further Reductions in View

In a press conference at which he made his announcement, Ford said that the company hoped "that we will be able to reduce prices further as we move forward and that we will not be forced to increase them again to compensate for cost increases."

He declined to be led into discussion of whether in view of the price cuts the Ford Co. would be able to meet wage demands of the CIO United Auto Workers, declaring that negotiations with the company still were four months away.

He said, however, that the union

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12-Million Airport Asked At Annapolis

Navy Department Plans Flight Training For Midshipmen

The Navy asked Congress yesterday to authorize construction of a 12-million-dollar airport for the Naval Academy in Annapolis.

Acting Secretary John L. Sullivan urged in a letter to Speaker of the House Martin that the project be approved as soon as possible.

Naval officials have sponsored the airport so that midshipmen may be given aviation indoctrination training while at the Naval Academy. Pilot training for some of them would come after graduation at other training fields.

Early Action Needed

"The acquisition of land and the commencement of construction must be undertaken in the very near future to assure the readinss for use of the airport at the earliest possible time," Sullivan declared.

Proposed legislation submitted by Sullivan would empower the Secretary of the Navy to proceed with land acquisition and build such buildings and hangars as are necessary.

Residents of the Sandy Point area of Annapolis have protested against the Navy plan. County commissioners of Anne Arundel County held a hearing on the issue last week.

Similar protests were held last year when the Navy sought to buy St. Johns College for expansion of the academy. Later, the plan was abandoned.

Referred to Committee

The Navy proposal was referred to the House Armed Services Committee. Similar legislation was presented to the Senate. Representative Sasscer (D., Md.), whose district includes the Annapolis area, said he will insist on full hearings

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War Profits Up to 955% Are Charged

Republicans Claim Enough Votes to Preserve Truman's Old Committee

By the Associated Press

Senator Ferguson (R., Mich.) declared yesterday that Americans may be denied an accounting of "extravagant or unwise" wartime programs if the Senate permits its special War Investigating Committee to die at the end of this month.

He cited as a typical need an inquiry into reports that some persons made "inordinate profits" of as much as 95 per cent on the sale of certain small hardware to the Government.

Ferguson presented his argument in a Senate speech as the Democratic organization, lined up against extension of the committee, fired and fell back in what looked like a hopeless rear-guard action.

Claim 5-Vote Margin

The Republicans, who have 51 members against the Democrats' 44, claimed that an informal poll gave them a margin of at least 5 votes. Their tally took account of the fact that Senator Tobey (R., N. H.) is against extension, and the possibility that two or three other Republicans may vote with him.

One of the men who calls signals for the Democrats admitted privately that the Republicans apparently had the edge. Even Democratic Leader Barkley (Ky.) conceded that the vote would be close.

However, Barkley told a reporter that in view of the numerous speeches scheduled, it is probable that the roll call will not come before Friday. The Kentuckian, renowned for behind-the-scenes finagling, refused to give up in advance.

Ferguson, a most active member of the Investigating Committee, told the Senate "It will be a sorry day for America when the Senate curbs and throttles its power to find out about the peoples' business and renders itself unable to penetrate the shroud of secrecy with which administrative officials are prone to clothe their administrative mistakes."

"The crying need of the House is not to limit, but to expand the investigative function of the Congress," he said.

Senators who oppose a year's extension of the Investigating Committee argue that their continuation would violate the spirit of the congressional reorganization act which clipped Senate committees from 33 to 15.

They take the same stand on a proposed eight-months extension for a Small Business Committee.

Cites 955 Per Cent Profit

Illustrating the kind of inquiry he wants the committee to carry out, Ferguson said the committee had in its files reports of instances where individuals made "inordinate profits" from the sale of small hardware items to the Treasury's Procurement Division for lend-lease to our allies during the war.

He said one such case involved some 3-inch steel pins, of which he said the Treasury bought 77,000 from a firm with no manufacturing facilities.

"This firm, in turn, sublet the entire production of this pin to another firm," he explained. "The first which actually manufactured the pin received 3 cents per pin, but the Government paid to the firm with which it had its contract 34 cents per pin. In this case the middleman's profit, which the Government paid, was 955 per cent over the manufacturer's price."

Senate Republicans cited remarks of President Truman to indicate he may favor continuance of the war investigating group.

Age Triumphs Over Youth

Man, 84, Helps Catch Intruder Who Felled Him Three Times

An 84-year-old District man, beaten to the floor three times by a 24-year-old housebreaker early yesterday, carried on the fight until his nephew arrived to help capture the intruder sought in three other crimes.

The action started when Mrs. Ethel E. Husbands, niece of the battling octogenarian, was awakened in her apartment, 20 K st. nw., by a Negro grasping her by the throat.

The burglar released her when she screamed, picked up $15 from the bureau and fled out of the bedroom.

At this point, Mrs. Husbands' uncle, James A. Galbreath, 84, who occupies an adjoining room, leaped from his bed and tackled the thug in the living room. The thief beat him to the floor and struggled to open the front door. It was chained.

Galbreath jumped at him again and again was felled.

The housebreaker then tried to climb out of a window. As he strained at the sash, Galbreath regained his feet and grappled with him. For the third time Galbreath went down—but not out.

Frantic by this time, the thug sought to escape by the rear door. At this juncture. Steven Husbands, 23, son of Mrs. Husbands awakend and joined in the fray.

Aided by Galbreath, he subdued the intruder and turned him over to police who identified him as

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Two Georgia Governors Vie for Power . . .

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

TENSE MEETING—Ellis Arnall (left arrow), claimant to the Governorship of Georgia, refuses to surrender the office to Herman Talmadge (right arrow), who was elected Governor yesterday by the State Legislature. Talmadge's mother (right), widow of the late Gov. Eugene Talmadge, stands by her son at this dramatic meeting of the two rivals yesterday in the State capitol in Atlanta

Senate Group Plans Hearings On Labor Bills

Five-Week Series To Begin Jan. 23, Says Taft, Committee Head

By Alfred Friendly
Post Reporter

The Senate Labor Committee plans a five-week series of hearings on all proposed labor legislation, to be completed by about March 1, Senator Taft (R., Ohio), new chairman of the group, stated yesterday.

This procedure, announced by Taft after the committee's first organization meeting, almost certainly forecloses passage of any new labor laws until the March 1 date, and probably until a week or two thereafter, since the committee also proposes to hold some executive and drafting sessions when the hearings are finished.

The procession of witnesses will begin on January 23, Taft said. The committee will sit all day on Tuesdays and Thursdays and during the mornings on Wednesdays and Fridays. It will follow provisions of the La Follette-Monroney Congressional Reorganization Act in requiring witnesses to submit written statements and to confine their oral presentations to summaries of not more than half an hour.

Case Bill Listed Specifically

In mentioning the legislative proposals to be studied by the committee, Taft listed specifically the "old Case bill," introduced by himself, and Senators Ball (R., Minn.) and Smith (R., N. J.), and a resolution offered by a dozen Democratic Senators to appoint a commission for a thorough investigation of management-labor relations.

But, Taft made it clear, the hearings would also take up all other legislative proposals "having the object of reducing industrial strife

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Anglo-French Alliance Under Way

British Challenge Soviet Claim In Spitsbergen; U. S. Watchful

Economic Links As Well as Military Suggested in London

London, Jan. 15 (AP).—Britain announced tonight that she and France had agreed to conclude a treaty of alliance "at the earliest possible moment"—thus continuing the historic partnership which has bound them as allies in two wars in this century.

An announcement from Prime Minister Attlee's residence said the decision was reached during the past 48 hours during the visit of French Premier Leon Blum.

"It was recognized," the statement said, "that the two countries, having been twice attacked by Germany in a period of 25 years, have equal interest in protecting themselves against a fresh German menace.

"It was therefore agreed that in these circumstances a treaty of alliance should be concluded between them at the earliest possible moment within the framework of Article 52 of the Charter of the United Nations and with the object of preventing any further aggression by Germany and of preserving peace and security."

Economic Links a Possibility

The announcement added that the "two governments were furthermore convinced that the conclusion of such a treaty would facilitate the settlement, in a spirit of understanding, of all questions arising" between them.

While the announcement was interpreted as being directed primarily at the military aspects of the alliance, the possibility of closer economic links between the two western European powers also was suggested in this section of the statement:

"In view of the close links which

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America to Demand To Be Consulted On Any New Accord

London, Jan. 15 (AP).—A foreign office spokesman challenged today any reassertion of Russian claims in the strategic Spitsbergen Archipelago, and said that Britain had no knowledge of a Soviet-Norwegian "understanding" on joint defense of the Arctic islands.

Commenting on a Soviet announcement of such an understanding, the spokesman said that Russia was bound by a 1920 international treaty which gave Spitsbergen to Norway and prohibited the use of the islands for "warlike purposes."

The official Russian statement issued in Moscow said Bear Island "actually was a Russian island" and that the treaty of 1920 which specifically included the island in the Spitsbergen group awarded to Norway, "cannot remain valid."

Announcement Creates Stir

This appeared to be a reassertion of Russian claims. Before 1920 Spitsbergen was a sort of no-man's-land claimed by Russia, Norway and some other nations. Before World War I Russia took about 400,000 tons of coal annually from the islands.

The Soviet announcement created a stir in Norway and Washington.

Foreign Minister Halvard M. Lange of Norway was closeted for three hours with foreign experts in Oslo. The Norwegian foreign office finally said there would be no comment today.

The Moscow announcement of an understanding about joint Russian-Norwegian defense of the islands was the first official indication that Russia might be seeking bases. Last Friday the Norwegians had announced only that Russia had sought special privileges while the recent war was in progress.

The State Department in Washington said it would demand to be consulted on any Russian-Norwegian agreement affecting the 1920 treaty. Spitsbergen is 3500 airline miles from industrial cities of northeastern America and a way-station over the North Pole.

Washington Watching Moves

Washington diplomatic authorities said that the United States State Department had been keeping a wary eye on Moscow's moves toward the archipelago, and that America doubtless would maintain that the 1920 treaty could not be altered without consent of its 30 signatories.

The British foreign office spokes-

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World's His Oyster

Fish, Wildlife Service Rushes To Catch Up With Snail's Pace

By Charles J. Yarbrough
Post Reporter

A snail's pace has the Fish and Wildlife Service in a big rush.

The service's shellfish investigation section at College Park, Md., has disclosed keyhole strategy to peer into the private life of a little snail, or drill, which is giving the Chesapeake oyster a bad time.

In fact, it slays them, makes the oysterman unhappy and leaves the human appetite for oysters not half so satisfied as the snail's.

The section is contriving a gadget which will tell how far the drill travels along the bay bottom, how fast it goes and when it stops. They already know why.

The snail, rarely more than an inch long, has a dainty appetite when it feeds—it just feeds too often in too many different places on too many young oysters.

Because of its small size, control has been difficult. The drill is having more on the whole shell in the lower Chesapeake and Maryland beds than Washington raw bars ever see. It is, according to Dr. Paul S. Galstoff, chief of the shellfish investigation section, "a dangerous and serious pest costing the oyster industry millions of dollars.

Trapping the snails by means of an ingenious box-like dredge which screens out the oysters, has been an expensive and slow process, Dr. Galstoff explained. What the section seeks now is some of the pest's travel habits.

They know it travels along the bottom and will climb almost any

What's a Snail's Pace?

obstruction in its path. It pounces on an oyster shell, drills a neat hole and then inserts a long tong, equipped with a little saw or rasp. With this, it snaps a few small chunks of succulent oyster, then rambles off to another, leaving the oyster exposed to other appetites in the deep.

The investigation may involve sacrificing another oyster or two, but by the time the snail makes its way through this latest labyrinth of research, he is supposed to leave his trail on smoked paper.

Then the Fish and Wildlife Service will know how far he goes, how fast and whether he wouldn't rather eat something we don't like.

Democratic Caucus Ignores Marcantonio

New Yorker Becomes First Congressman So Treated in Years

By Robert C. Albright
Post Reporter

A House Democratic caucus yesterday bypassed Representative Vito Marcantonio, New York's American Laborite leader of the extreme House left, in parceling out minority committee posts.

Marcantonio, whose very election may face a contest, thus became a Congressman without a committee—the first minority party member thus passed over by both major parties in recent congressional history.

Earlier this week, House Republicans similarly refused to assign him a committee place. The Republican majority and the Democratic minority each insisted their opposition "make room for Marcantonio on their side."

There the matter rested as the House, with committee assignments virtually complete, prepared to get down to business today. With routine approval of by-party appointments to 19 streamlined committees, the House today will be ready to buckle down to work for the first time since the new Congress convened January 3.

Former chairmen and high-ranking Democrats, who for years have been in the House driver's seat, had to be satisfied with the short end on committees and outvoted roles as the caucus filled in the committee blanks.

At the best, former chairmen became ranking minority members. With the committees themselves cut in number by the Monroney-La Follette Act, even former chairmen short on seniority lost top committee rating.

In assigning no post to Marcantonio, Democrats argued that the majority party traditionally has placed minor party members.

Speaker Joseph W. Martin, jr. (Mass.), and other Republicans came back with the argument that Marcantonio ran as a Democrat as well as an American-Laborite. They said Democrats should assign him a committee, as they would any other Democrats.

Representative Robert L. Doughton (N. C.), chairman of the Democratic Committee on Committees, told the Democratic caucus Marcantonio registered in the House not as a Democrat, but as a member of the American Labor Party. He said Democrats, when they were in power assigned committees to such minor party members.

Suggested Representative Aime J. Forand (D., R. I.), who presided: "If the Republicans will give us an extra spot, we'll place him."

Free State 'Losing Patience'

Maryland-Va. Oyster Row, Dating Back to 1785, On Again

Annapolis, Md., Jan. 15 (AP).—Chairman Edwin Warfield, jr., of the Maryland Board of Natural Resources, pointing up an old and intermittent dispute over oysters in Chesapeake Bay between Virginia and Maryland, informed legislators today the Free State is getting a little out of patience with the Old Dominion in that respect.

"Maryland has been unduly patient with our neighboring State," Warfield told a joint committee, "but the time has come" when a new oyster law is necessary.

The Chesapeake Bay and tributaries committees of House and Senate heard Warfield support a bill to give Maryland the right to prosecute, in Maryland, any Virginians accused of violating the Oyster Act.

At present, under an 1785 compact between the States, Virginians arrested in Maryland are returned to their home State for prosecution, and Marylanders arrested in Virginia are returned to this State.

"Virginia should share in the responsibility of enforcing the law," Warfield said, "especially against her citizens, but it is a fact that the Virginia citizens our patrols catch and return to Virginia courts for trial invariably escape effective punishment."

Warfield emphasized he did not want to "cast any aspersions on Virginia justice," but he asserted

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State Court Is Requested To Decide Title to Office

Talmadge, Arnall Both Muster Forces In Preparation For Showdown

BULLETIN

Atlanta, Jan. 15 (AP).—Attorney General Eugene Cook filed a petition with Fulton County Superior Court Judge Walter C. Hendrix today asking the court to decide title to the Governor's office and issue an injunction against Herman Talmadge functioning as Governor. A hearing was set for February 7.

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 15 (U.P.).—Two Governors in offices only 20 feet apart fought for control of Georgia today.

Young Herman Talmadge, swept into office by the legislative majority loyal to his late father, Gene Talmadge, moved swiftly to align the State's armed forces behind him. But the incumbent, Ellis Arnall, was countering his every move.

Climaxing a turbulent 24 hours, punctuated by fights between partisans, Talmadge issued an order dissolving the State (Home) Guard headed by Col. R. W. Collins, an appointee of Arnall. Collins immediately defied Talmadge.

Arnall refused to vacate his office despite Talmadge's election by the Legislature. He called the son and political heir of Eugene Talmadge a "pretender."

Show of Force Possible

Young Talmadge tried to consolidate his own man, Marvin Griffin, as head of the Georgia National Guard by appointing him to a new term as State adjutant general. Griffin had been Arnall's adjutant general but went over to his rival.

Talmadge said that with the National Guard back from the war, the State Guard had outlived its usefulness. He ordered its personnel to turn in their arms and consider themselves dismissed.

No imminent clash of arms was threatened in the bizarre political situation created by the death of the elder Talmadge 23 days before he was to have taken office for his fourth term as Governor. But the issue may ultimately be decided by at least a show of force, depending on whether the Talmadge or Arnall faction will be the first to try it.

Arnall, who had submitted his resignation effective when the duly elected lieutenant governor, M. E. Thompson, was qualified to succeed him, was standing his ground and also staying in his office. Herman set up shop in a small office 20 feet away which, like Arnall's, was entered through the executive reception room in the State capitol.

Black Looks Exchanged

Thompson is to be qualified formally tomorrow and it was considered possible that Arnall might immediately surrender his office to him and tell him it's "your fight."

Lieutenants of Arnall and Talmadge were coming and going all day through the ante-room. They rubbed shoulders, and exchanged black looks, but no fisticuffs developed following a predawn melee soon after Talmadge's election by the General Assembly.

Talmadge and his followers marched dramatically to Arnall's office at 2:30 a. m. They found the thick wooden door locked. Talmadge men forced it open and all confronted Arnall while he sat at his desk.

"I do not wish any violence or disorder," Talmadge said. "But I am going to set up an office of Governor where I please."

Arnall replied that the gubernatorial office belonged to the people, that the people rather than the Legislature elected the Governor, and he would not surrender the office to a "pretender."

Fighting Breaks Out

Talmadge left after saying he intended to install himself anyway. The 33-year-old son of "Ole Gene" and his aides pleaded for calmness among their adherents, but as they left fighting broke out in the anteroom behind them. In the main brawl, 300-pound Johnny Nahara, bodyguard of the elder Talmadge, badly mauled T. M. Buchanan, Arnall's chauffeur.

The scene in the capital from dawn on through the day, where hundreds of political partisans and merely curious spectators thronged

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AMG Told to Allow Germans Self-Rule

Gen. Clay Orders Military Government Personnel to Adopt 'Hhands-Off' Roles

Berlin, Jan. 15 (AP)—Lieut. Gen. Lucius D. Clay today ordered his American Military Government personnel to adopt hands-off roles in the government of the U. S. occupation zone of Germany, and ungrudgingly to yield responsibility to the Germans to govern themselves "in an effort to restore democracy."

In a special message outlining the AMG's tasks for 1947, Clay said important steps had been taken in delegating responsibility to the Germans in both the American zone and on bizonal boards composed of Germans for conducting the economy of the merged American and British zones.

"Hereafter," said Clay, "we shall intervene in land (state) legislation and administration only if necessary to prevent measures which are inconsistent with our objectives in Germany. We must not interfere with German assumption of responsibility. We must support the land constitutions with the utmost sincerity.

"Within the field of bizonal fusion, we must recognize that executive responsibility has now been given to the German bizonal administrations and that we must refrain from taking action which would interfere with their control of the matters for which they are responsible.

"It will continue to be our duty to inspect, to assist when assistance is requested."

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in the United States." He classified these into four divisions:

1. Laws concerning the organization and responsibility of labor unions.
2. Proposals for labor courts and compulsory arbitration.
3. Mediation and conciliation procedures.
4. Amendments to the Wagner Act.

The decision to give attention in an omnibus fashion to all legislative approaches suggested in itself the doom of the Democratic Senators' project for an elaborate outside investigation in advance of writing new labor laws.

Bill Likely to Get Attention

Taft insisted that none of the proposed bills had priority, but from other sources it seemed apparent that the immediate focus of attention, and the first bill likely to be offered to the Senate, was the Taft-Ball-Smith measure.

It would set up a new Federal Mediation Board, a 60 day cooling-off period, deprive foremen's unions of Wagner Act privileges and protection, render unions suable in Federal Courts, and require employers participation on welfare funds to which they contribute.

Taft said the Committee would first hear Government witnesses, probably led off by Secretary of Labor Schwellenbach, then "labor relations experts," and lastly unions opposing the measures.

But, he added with a grin, it might be advisable to delay the testimony of National Labor Relations Board officials "until they learn all the things we want to do to them."

Democratic members of the committee, it was learned, plan to present legislation carrying out the recommendations of President Truman in his state of the Union message. He proposed laws making illegal jurisdictional strikes, secondary boycotts for union organizational ends, and strikes over interpretation of collective bargaining contracts.

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FOR INSTANCE, HE'S NAILED UP MY CARPET SLIPPERS AND POPPED A SWEET POTATO WITH VINE ATTACHED INTO EACH TOE.
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corridors and the ante room to the twin executive offices, bordered on the comic at times. But both factions were in dead earnest.

Newsreel cameras were set up in both offices. Fiddlin' John Carson, a campaign attraction on the elder Talmadge's stump tours, wandered around, playing "Sugar In the Gourd" on his fiddle.

Two troopers, a lieutenant armed with a pistol and a master sergeant with a carbine, paced the anteroom for a time. Brig. Gen. George Finch of the National Guard ordered the mout, saying they were members of the State Guard and had no business with arms. The lieutenant said he had not been instructed "which Governor" to obey. But he and the sergeant left.

Arnall's new State Guard head, Collins, defied Talmadge's order dissolving the guard by proclaiming his own authority over both the State and National Guard units. He promised an order of the day later calling on both units to "continue in service for the unity of the State." He said Talmadge had no more authority to retire him "than any man on the street."

In Washington, the War Department took a strict "hands off" attitude after Arnall telephoned Secretary Robert Patterson and asked which State National Guard head—Collins or Griffin—would be recognized. The War Department declined to make a "spur of the moment decision," pending a review of the qualifications of both men.

Talmadge was elected at 2 a. m., the vote climaxing 16 hours of wrangling and jockeying in the Legislature. He received 161 votes on the motion that he be elected Governor, while 81 legislators abstained. His claim to the office was based on write-in votes of his name in the November general election.

Constitutional Provision

A clause in the State constitution provides that if a duly elected governor dies before taking office, the General Assembly may elect his successor from the two highest write-in candidates. A canvass of the ballot boxes by the Legislature gave Herman the most write-ins by a narrow margin over James V. Carmichael, whom the elder Talmadge defeated for the nomination in the Democratic primary. Carmichael did not seek the office after his primary defeat.

Throughout the day, Talmadge was busy handing out appointments and Arnall was countering them with new appointments of his own. Talmadge named Charles Redwine, a long-time Talmadge man, as State Revenue Commissioner and Redwine had no trouble taking over the office because it had belonged to Thompson, who will become Lieutenant Governor, in name at least, tomorrow. Arnall then appointed T. M. Price to the post.

State Auditor B. E. Thrasher, jr., announced that he would follow the orders of the General Assembly in writing checks on the State Treasurer, pending a settlement of the controversy.

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that Maryland authorities have been "completely unsuccessful" in checking violations which imperil the oyster supply in the river. Illegal oyster by dredging and use of power boats is being carried on by a number of boats based on the Virginia shore, Warfield continued.

"The Maryland enforcemetn effort has been continuous," Warfield said, "but it has not been quite as successful as we hoped."

The Maryland department of tidewater fisheries has been hampered by slow patrol boats, but recent acquisition of a small amphibian plane and speedier surface craft has improved conditions, Warfield said.

Boat Was Confiscated

The surface craft formerly was owned by a Virginian who was apprehended by Maryland patrols for illegal oystering, and was confiscated and refitted for patrol. The plane has "provided an element of surprise" and has resulted in the arrest of a number of violators along the Potomac, the committee was told.

Maryland has five patrol boats while Virginia has only two, Warfield related. The bill, he explained, is of an "emergency nature" to "strengthen our hand this spring."

Carl Everstine, of the Bureau of Legislative Reference said the bill made no other changes in the existing act. He added that the 1785 compact was no barrier to adoption of the enforcement provision without Virginia's consent.

"In the compact," Everstine said, "There is nothing that seems to require us to send Virginians to Virginia for trial.

FORD

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had been advised of the price-cutting program.

"We feel sure the UAW will help," a company telegram to the UAW said.

Asked whether the company could operate at a profit in view of the price reductions, Ford said, "we are in business to operate at a profit."

Ford $2 Under Chevrolet

He said the company had no information at this time as to what the union portal-to-portal pay demands would mean to the concern.

He said that under the new price schedule the lowest priced Ford car now is about $2 under the lowest-priced Chevrolet.

Ford also said there was no truth to rumors that the company is planning any financing.

The price reductions announced today were as follows:

Ford de luxe tudor, $25.

Super de luxe six tudor, fordor and sedan coupe, $50 each.

De luxe eight tudor, $25.

Super de luxe eight sedan coupe, $25.

Tudor, fordor and convertible club coupe, $15 each.

By the Associated Press

Announcement by the Ford Motor Company of price reductions on its current models was hailed by presidential assistant John R. Steelman today as "good news for the country."

Steelman, former reconversion director, now occupies a White House office with the title of Assistant to the President.

9th to Be Deactivated

Frankfurt, Germany, Jan. 15 (AP)—The U. S. Ninth Infantry Division, which earned eight battle stars fighting its way from North Africa to Germany, will be inactivated tomorrow, Third Army headquarters announced tonight. The division, commanded by Maj. Gen. Horace L. McBride, has been stationed in southern Germany.

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Maryland News

Booming Guns Mark Command Change At Annapolis; Holloway Succeeds Fitch

Annapolis, Md., Jan. 15.—A youngish rear admiral, already an expert in training young officers, took over today as superintendent of the Naval Academy.

Rear Admiral James L. Holloway, jr., 48, and a native of Fort Smith, Ark., relieved Vice Adm. Aubrey W. Fitch in a ceremony accompanied by booming salute guns and the traditional lowering and raising of command flags.

Adm. Fitch Adm. Holloway

The academy's 2963 midshipmen were drawn up in blue-uniformed ranks in Dahlgren Hall, along with their 382 officers and 153 civilian instructors, when Admiral Fitch stepped forward on the balcony and read orders transferring him to duty in Washington as a special assistant to Under Secretary of Navy John L. Sullivan.

In a short farewell, he told academy personnel that aspirations of all peoples and all nations are focused on the United Nations.

He praised the spirit "traditional and unique of the naval academy graduate" and said it was manifest in the football squad teamwork against Army at Philadelphia in December.

As he finished, the salute battery along Stribling Walk boomed 15 times. His three-star flag was hauled down from the Reina Mercedes, station ship.

Admiral Holloway stepped forward then to read his orders. The salute battery gave him 13 guns. His two-star flag went up on the Reina Mercedes.

The new superintendent, one of the youngest ever to head the academy, was chairman of the so-called Holloway Board, which prepared an educational program for officers of the postwar Navy.

Holloway during the war commanded destroyer squadron 10 in the North African invasion and the battleship Iowa in the Philippines campaign and the assault on Japan's home islands. He graduated from the academy in 1919.

One of Admiral Holloway's first official acts will be an exchange of formal visits tomorrow with Governor Lane.

Accompanied by aides, he is due at Government House at 10 a. m., to be received by the Governor and his secretary of state, John B. Funk.

Lane and Funk then will go to the academy, where the Governor will be greeted by an honor guard of marines, the Naval Academy Band, and a 19-gun salute.

Boy Bandits Jailed

Baltimore, Jan. 15 (AP).—Circuit Judge Michael J. Manley today ordered to jail four 16-year-olds who entered a house here before Christmas, "covered the occupants with rifles and a pistol, and ransacked a trunk of $2550.

The judge set no sentence pending a full report from the probation department, but he denied the youths bail. A mother fainted. Several women members of the defendants' families were near hysteria and one was carried from the courtroom.

City's Jobless at Peak

Hagerstown, Md., Jan. 15 (AP).—Jobless pay checks were mailed to 1513 persons this week, a record high, D. Lee Staley of the State Employment Service reported today. He said the previous high, a total of 1300 claims, was reached in March, 1946.

Wage-Hour Hearing Set

Baltimore, Jan. 15 (AP).—The Maryland League of Women Voters and the Maryland branch of the American Association of University Women today announced a joint public hearing here January 25 on the proposed State wage-hour bill.

Representatives of 150 organizations have been invited to give their views at the afternoon session, to be held at Enoch Pratt Library.

The joint committee in charge includes Mrs. Willard F. Barber and Mrs. Clyde Everson, presidents, respectively, of the league and the A.A.U.W., Mrs. Harold Benjamin of Hyattsville, Mrs. John Fishburn of Chevy Chase, Mrs. Ernest Walker of College Park, and Miss Marie Klooz of Silver Spring.

Measles Outbreak

Cumberland, Md., Jan. 16 (AP). Dr. Joseph P. Franklin, county health officer, said today several hundred cases of measles have been reported in Cumberland and that a "widespread outbreak is likely."

Dr. Franklin said an upturn in the number having the disease was noted in December and since the resumption of schools, January 6, following the Christmas holidays, teachers report absences in ever larger numbers than before.

Deadlock on Airport

Annapolis, Md., Jan. 15 (AP).—The Anne Arundel County Board of Commissioners cast a tie vote last night on a motion to reconsider the body's previous indorsement of the Naval Academy's proposed airport at Sandy Point.

President Weems R. Duvall said the deadlock ended "for all practical purposes" the commissioners' consideration of the proposal.

Duvall, Benton Shipley, William Dawson and Frank Moreland voted in favor of the motion, while Taylor Leatherberry, George Frank, Charles Russell and Frank Munroe opposed the motion.

The commissioners approved the airport project at a meeting in December by a 6-2 vote.

Strike Vote Planned

Cumberland, Md., Jan. 15 (AP).—Local 924 of the Dairy Workers Union (AFL) met tonight to take a strike vote in the wage dispute with five dairies in the Cumberland area, union officers announced.

The Queen City, Farmers, Liberty, Mason and Llewellyn Dairies are involved.

Union officials said negotiations with the dairies for a new contract had been initiated December 13, and a 30-day strike notice was filed four days later.

If a strike is authorized, it will take effect Friday morning, they added.

Ritchie Shrine Asked

Annapolis, Md., Jan. 15 (AP).—A proposal for funds to erect a statue to the late Gov. Albert C. Ritchie at the southern terminus of the Ritchie hwy. was offered to the House of Delegates today.

Delegate McKewen (D., Baltimore, Third) sponsored the resolution asking Governor Lane to include an appropriation in the budget for the monument. McKewen said privately the cost would be $75,000.

There is a lookout site for the statue already overlooking Annapolis at the end of the highway. A memorial commission was created in 1936 to raise funds but not enough money has been raised.

McKewen's resolution was not voted upon, although Speaker Sybert called for a vote, saying that the resolution was purely advisory and not binding on the Governor.

The resolution suggested that the monument "should be life-sized and executed in bronze."

Clean Sweep of 'Slots'

Princess Anne, Md., Jan. 15 (AP). Somerset County authorities said there wasn't a slot machine in sight today.

E. McMaster Duer, new State's attorney, reported after a checkup that it had not been necessary to make any arrests in order to enforce the order laid down by Sheriff Woodland Jackson that all "one-armed bandits" be removed by Monday.

The law enforcement authorities estimated about 500 of the machines disappeared in the cleanup.

Authorities in neighboring counties issued warnings not to park them in their bailiwicks.

State's Pocketbook Shy

Annapolis, Md., Jan. 15 (AP).—Chairman J. Millard Tawes of the Board of Revenue Estimates predicts the State's general fund revenues for fiscal 1948-49 will fall some 23 million dollars shy of total requests for funds from State agencies.

In a report to Governor Lane, Tawes said yesterday estimated revenues for the biennium come to $75,188,221, while requests for funds total $98,223,948.

He said estimated revenues from State income taxes will net the State $10,890,000 in 1947 and $11,297,010 in each of the two following years.

Senators to Meet On O'Conor Today

Senator Bourke B. Hickenlooper (R., Iowa) announced last night that a Senate Rules Subcommittee will meet at 3:30 p. m. today to discuss procedure for investigating the disputed election of Senator Herbert R. O'Conor (D., Md.).

Hickenlooper, chairman of the subcommittee, said that either Senator O'Conor and Brig. Gen. D. John Markey, who is contesting O'Conor's election, or their representatives would attend the meeting. The conference had been tentatively set for yesterday.

Army Acquits Ardent 'Dater'

A soldier charged with courting his "date" too violently has been acquitted by an Andrews Field general court-martial.

The GI, S/Sergt. Roy W. Nelson, of Andrews Field, was charged with violation of the Ninety-sixth Article of War in an alleged assault and battery on a 22-year-old Washington girl.

Nelson met the girl on a bus en route to Washington from Circleville, Va., and invited her to help share his baby-sitting chores. She accepted and the love scenes followed. She brought the charges last November.

Main Reelected To Head Firemen

I. I. Main has been elected to serve his twentieth year as chief of the Seat Pleasant Volunteer Fire Department, it was announced yesterday.

Joseph Madden was named president to succeed C. M. Mace. Mace was made honorary president after serving 20 years as president.

Others elected were Joseph Alvey, assistant chief; H. I. Dulaney, jr., captain; Robert Moran, first lieutenant; Douglas Lamp, second lieutenant; George Augustine, vice president; John M. Brown, secretary, and John Stout, treasurer.

Diary to Be Resumed Regularly in February

Publication of the Federal Diary as a regular feature will be resumed early in February. Jerry Klutz is now on vacation at 76 Ranch, Bonita, Arizona.

Md. Assembly Gets 13 New Bills in Day

By John F. Chandler

Annapolis, Md., Jan. 15 (AP).—Still going through routine business, the Maryland Legislature conducted brief sessions of the Senate and House today, formally reelected Hooper S. Miles as State treasurer, then adjourned until tomorrow.

The House and Senate, by individual ballot, announced the unanimous election of Miles for a fourth and four-year term by a vote of 137 to 0, although there was one ballot that wasn't counted—the vote of Delegate Reed (D., Baltimore Fifth).

House officials announced 111 votes for Miles, and the Senate gave him 26 votes—the number of members answering roll call.

Factional Fight Reflected

Indicating the bitter factional battle that has split the Baltimore City delegation and prevented it so far from electing a chairman was the ballot of Delegate Reed. The ballot read:

"Jack Pollack to complete the job. Delegate J. Reed, Fifth District, Baltimore."

James H. (Jack) Pollack, Democratic Party leader in the Baltimore Fourth District, supported Lane for Governor, and his forces are battling those of William Curran for chairmanship of the city group.

"They will kick a man off his committee, will they?" Reed said as he passed the press table on his way to cast the vote. The tellers set the ballot aside without calling the name, as they did with the other ballots bearing Miles' name.

Majority Floor Leader Pumphrey (D., Prince Georges) said that Reed's vote was not considered because Miles was the only name placed in nomination at the Democratic caucus yesterday.

Reed was chairman of the House Labor Committee in the 1943 and 1945 sessions, but was not placed on that committee this session. Delegate Mrozifski (D., Baltimore, First) was named chairman this year.

13 Bills Submitted

Thirteen bills were introduced, seven in the House and six in the Senate, bringing the total to 251 at midweek in the third week of the 1947 session. With a scattering of bills reported from committee, none has yet come up for final passage.

Delegates Pumphrey (D., Prince Georges), Messick (D., Wicomico), and Ramsburg (R., Frederick), and Senators Della (D., Balto. 6th) and O'Neill (R., Harford), were named on a joint committee to formally notify Miles of his election. The Republican minority decided not to make an honorary nomination for the position.

At a press conference, Governor Lane said he planned to announce—probably tomorrow—an advisory committee of Maryland residents to aid the Board of Revenue Estimates in working out a State tax program for the next biennium.

In his inaugural address, Lane told the Legislature that budget requests from State departments had increased 18 million dollars above the present budget. If the Sherbow Commission plan for distribution of 13 million dollars annually to counties and municipalities is enacted, Lane pointed out that much more also would be needed.

President Byrnes (D., Balto. 5th) introduced a Senate bill providing that State's attorneys in the 23 counties and Baltimore City post a $5000 surety bond.

It was explained that under a constitutional amendment, the bill would replace several local laws providing various amounts of bonds. Some counties required no bonds, it was said.

Radio Programs

WARL 780

Thursday

7:30 a. m.—School Bulletin Board.
7:45 a. m.—Alarm Clock Club.
8:00 a. m.—Breakfast Table Sports.
8:15 a. m.—Community Calendar.
8:45 a. m.—Arlington Church of the Air.
9:00 a. m.—WARL Shops.
9:30 a. m.—News; Music.
9:45 a. m.—Yours for the Asking.
10:00 a. m.—Bing Crosby.
10:15 a. m.—Harmony Strings.
10:30 a. m.—Kings Men.
10:45 a. m.—Tiny Tot Tunes and Tales.
11:00 a. m.—Curt Massey.
11:15 a. m.—Bliss Harris Comments.
11:30 a. m.—News; Music from Hollywood.
12:00 noon—Town and Country Time.
12:30 p. m.—News; Jan Garber.
1:00 p. m.—Unbroken Melodies.
1:30 p. m.—Capitol Dome; Memory Lane.
1:45 p. m.—Here's to Veterans.
2:00 p. m.—Here's Your Favorite.
2:15 p. m.—Talk of the Town.
2:30 p. m.—News; High Neighbor.
3:00 p. m.—Concert Miniatures.
3:30 p. m.—News; Platter Spinner.
4:00 p. m.—Alvino Rey.
4:30 p. m.—News; Tex Ritter.
4:45 p. m.—Spotlight on Sports.
5:00 p. m.—Reading the Funnies.

WGAY 1050

Thursday

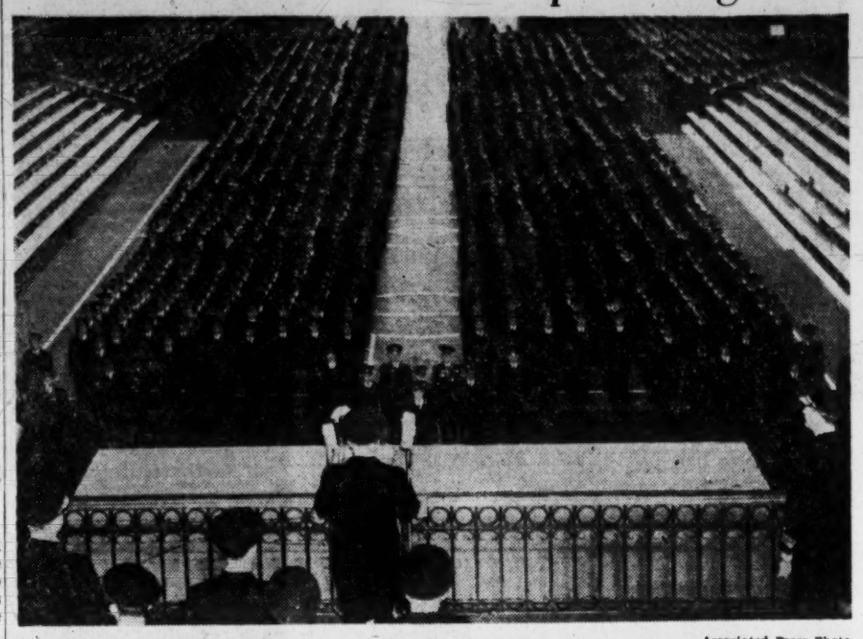
7:30 a. m.—News.
7:40 a. m.—Town Talk.
7:45 a. m.—Music for Breakfast.
7:55 a. m.—News.
8:00 p. m.—Ray Block.
9:00 a. m.—Homemaker's Gift Shop.
10:00 a. m.—News.
10:05 a. m.—Novelty Parade.
10:15 a. m.—Morning Melodies.
10:30 a. m.—Music Room.
10:45 a. m.—Bible Quiz.
11:00 a. m.—Hawaiian Melodies.
11:15 a. m.—Musical Tidbits.
11:30 a. m.—Music Before Lunch.
12:00 noon—Mile of Dimes.
12:15 p. m.—Three-Quarter Time.
12:30 p. m.—Don Bell, News.
12:45 p. m.—Singing Stars.
1:00 p. m.—Touel Sports Club.
2:00 p. m.—South of the Border.
2:15 p. m.—Career Call.
2:30 p. m.—Along the Trail.
3:00 p. m.—News; Musical Visit.
3:15 p. m.—Across the Footlights.
3:30 p. m.—Orchestra Hall.
4:00 p. m.—This Day.
4:15 p. m.—Day Dreaming.
4:30 p. m.—Voices at Dusk.
4:45 p. m.—Don Bell, News.
5:00 p. m.—Mile of Dimes.

WPIK 730

Thursday

7:30 a. m.—At Dawn With Don.
8:00 a. m.—News.
8:05 a. m.—At Dawn With Don.
8:30 a. m.—At News.
8:35 a. m.—At Dawn With Don.
9:00 a. m.—Civic Salute.
9:30 a. m.—Lyrics for the Ladies.
9:45 a. m.—George Gershwin Melodies.
10:00 a. m.—News.
10:05 a. m.—Women With Wings.
10:15 a. m.—Little Show.
10:30 a. m.—Hillbilly Mountaineers.
11:00 a. m.—Hot Off the Wires.
11:15 a. m.—David Rose.
11:30 a. m.—D'Artega.
12:00 noon—Dreamhouse Melodies.
1:00 p. m.—John Gart Trio.
1:15 p. m.—Buddy Cole.
1:30 p. m.—Margaret Whiting.
2:00 p. m.—Glen Gray.
2:30 p. m.—Eddie Duchin.
3:00 p. m.—Tommy Tucker Time.
3:30 p. m.—Frankie Masters.
4:00 p. m.—Art Mooney.
4:30 p. m.—Lucky Millinder.
5:00 p. m.—Harry James.

Fitch Bids Farewell to Midshipmen Regiment



Associated Press Photo

COMMAND CHANGES—Vice Admiral Aubrey Fitch (front of balcony at desk) bids farewell to Naval Academy Midshipmen at Annapolis as he relinquished post of Academy superintendent to Rear Admiral James L. Holloway, jr. (far left). Admiral Fitch will become special assistant to Undersecretary of Navy John Sullivan

Girl Victim Is Morale Booster For Hospitalized Veterans

Richmond, Va., Jan. 15 (AP).—A dream is coming true for brown-haired, gray-eyed Ray Francis, whose career as a professional model and dancer ended eight years ago when she suffered a spinal cord injury in an automobile accident.

She will leave Richmond early in February to visit veterans' hospitals in New York, Massachusetts and Illinois.

"Isn't it just wonderful?" she exclaimed. "It is something I have had in the back of my mind for a long time. But I just had to wait until the proper time and I was ready."

Time was only one of the elements involved, however. There were such other things as a more than ordinary amount of pluck and determination—and a big smile.

A Living Example

To paraplegics—spinal cord injury victims—at McGuire Army Hospital here, the 29-year-old Miss Francis is a living example of the comeback veterans with spinal injuries can make with time and pluck and encouragement.

Encouragement is just what Ray Francis spends her time giving as a vital part of rehabilitation of McGuire, where she has been employed as a paraplegic demonstrator for the past year. The three hospitals she will visit also have many men suffering spinal cord injuries.

She will spend about five days each at the VA hospital at Bronx, N. Y.; at Framingham, Mass., and at Hines, Ill., demonstrating to the paraplegic patients her ability to get around by herself with her "Canadian canes" and generally be independent of others—the goal in the rehabilitation of patients suffering from this type of injury.

But it wasn't easy for Ray Francis, who, the Veterans Administration says, "is a part of the complex medical rehabilitation setup" for paraplegics. No one knows better than she the importance of encouragement from others outside the family.

There were the dark days, she recalls, when all hope seemed shattered, when life stretched out ahead as a questionable venture.

Following her injury she spent six months in hospitals. She hated the thought of a wheelchair. She wouldn't go out in public in one. So it was two years and long after she had learned to get around on crutches before she would be seen in public—except to go to one of her favorite haunts, a beach resort where she could swim.

In New York on a visit, she went to night clubs, found out that she didn't mind it, and decided that what she could do there she could do in Richmond.

RAY FRANCIS
. . . A Living Example for Crippled War Veterans

Her cheerfulness and determination attracted the attention of a physician who told her that she would be a "grand morale factor" for the injured at McGuire Hospital.

She has worked with more than 200 spinal cord injury patients at McGuire in the last year and any enthusiasm or encouragement she can give to others is satisfying to her.

Independence is not easy for the spinal injury patient. He has virtually no use of his legs. The severity of his paralysis depends on the height of the injury to his spinal cord, but for all it is a disability of distressing gravity.

100 New Trustees Named to Arlington Community Chest

One hundred new trustees have been named to the Arlington Community Chest.

At the recent annual membership meeting, Chest contributors heard President J. Harold Stehman discuss the two major accomplishments of the past year. He said they were the Arlington Chest's alliance with the Community Chest Federation and participation in the Arlington social survey.

Stehman gave the final returns of the Arlington fund-raising campaign as $48,704, or 75 per cent of the $60,000 goal. This compared with 89 per cent raised by the federation's over-all campaign.

Richmond Markets

Richmond, Va., Jan. 15 (USDA).—Market report. Fruits and vegetables (prices represent sales on wholesale market).

WHITE POTATOES—Supplies liberal, market steady. U. S. No. 1, Maine and New York, 100-lb. sacks, 2.75@3.25.

SWEET POTATOES—Receipts moderate, market about steady. Bushel baskets, Virginia, North Carolina and South Carolina, 2.50@3.25.

CABBAGE—Receipts light, market firm. 50-lb. sacks, Virginia, North Carolina and New York, 1.75@2.00.

APPLES—Supplies liberal, market steady. Bushel baskets, U. S., No. 1, 2½-in. up, Virginia red delicious, 3.75@4.25; Stayman, 2.75@3.25; winesaps, 3.50@4.00; Yorks, 2.75@3.00; black twigs, 2.50@3.00.

EGGS (Prices paid net to producers, f.o.b. Richmond)—Receipts fairly liberal, market steady. Whites and browns, U. S. Grade A large, 40@48 doz.; U. S. Grade A medium, 40c doz.; U. S. Grade B large, 38c doz.; U. S. Grade C, 35@36 doz.; nearby ungraded current receipts, 55 lbs. and up, 38@40 doz.; pullets, 30@31 doz.

LIVE POULTRY—Supplies moderate, demand extremely dull; market slow and unsettled on young chickens with paying prices too irregular to give definite quotations. Few colored fowl, 25@28 lb.; leghorn, 18c lb.; old roosters, 18c lb.

HOGS—Market steady with Tuesday on all top weights. Top, 23.00 for good and choice 160-240-lb. barrows and gilts; 20.00-120-140 lbs., 21.00; 140-160 lbs., 21.50; 240-300 lbs., 22.25; 120-140 lbs., 21.00; good sows, all weights, 19.00; good stags, 18.00.

CATTLE—Receipts all slaughter classes light early with not much being done. Medium to good steers quotable around 18.00@21.50. Few lots fat dairy type cows, 10.00@13.00; good beef type quotable to 16.00; bulk common cutters, 7.00@10.00; heavy sausage bulls, 14.00 down; good beef bulls to 15.00; vealers fully steady at 24.00 down.

Alexandria Opens Second School Semester Jan. 27

The second semester of the 1946-1947 school season in Alexandria will open on January 27, school officials said yesterday. The first semester ends January 24.

Incoming pupils, those not now enrolled, must register at the schools which they are to attend on January 20 and 21 between 9:30 a. m. and 3:30 p. m.

New pupils not registering on either of those dates must wait until January 28 to register. This applies to pupils entering the one low grade and others not now attending public schools. Pupils entering the one low grade must be 6 years of age on or before March 1 and must present a birth certificate.

Baltimore Livestock

Baltimore, Jan. 15 (AP). (USDA)—CATTLE—Receipts, 300. Fresh receipts largely slaughter steers, with salesmen indicating their intentions of holding the supply for Thursday's market. Cows and bulls active, steady with Tuesday; scattered lots common and medium cows, 11.50@15.00; canners and cutters, 8.50@11.50; medium and good weight sausage bulls, 16.00@17.00; light and medium weights, 12.50@15.50; small lot medium stock steers around 475 lbs., steady at 15.00.

CALVES—Receipts, 175. Vealers active, steady with Tuesday; mixed lots good and choice 120-220 lbs. vealers largely 24.00@27.00; strictly choice, 28.00; common and medium, 14.00@19.00; culls down to 11.00; underweights as low as 6.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 700. Active, but 25 lower than Tuesday all weights and sows; practical top, 23.75; good and choice from 120-140 lbs., 22.50; 140-155 lbs., 23.00; 155-250 lbs., 23.75; 250-300 lbs., 23.00; 300-350 lbs., 22.25; 350 lbs. up, 21.25; good and choice sows, 19.25, with plenty sows considerably lower.

SHEEP—Receipts, 25. Slaughter lambs very scarce, active, steady with Tuesday; scattered small lots good and choice 80-110 lbs. wooled lambs, 23.50@25.50; common and medium, 15.50@19.50; culls down to 12.50; slaughter ewes active, steady; good and choice, 2.00@9.00; common and medium, 4.00@7.50; culls down to 3.00.

POULTRY—Market barely steady. Receipts rather light, some carried. Demand light. Fryers, springers and broilers, 27@30, some low as 25. Roasters, over 4½ lbs., 28@30. Fowl: Colored, 30@33, few best 35; Leghorns mostly 23@25. Ducks, 30@35, mostly 30@33.

J. M. Douglass Dies in Aldie; Miller, Banker

Aldie, Va., Jan. 15 (Spl.).—John Moore Douglass, 58, Loudoun County miller and banker, died last night at his home in Aldie after an illness of one month.

Born in Aldie, he was the son of the late James Edward and Marian Skinner Douglass. Mr. Douglass was a director of the Loudoun National Bank in Leesburg and a member of the Aldie Presbyterian Church. He graduated in engineering at V. P. I., Blacksburg, and for several years was employed by the C. & O. Railroad.

Following his father's death, he returned to Aldie to manage the Aldie Mills, which had been owned by the family for many years. Mr. Douglass is survived by his wife, Mrs. Martha Strother Douglass; two sons, John Douglass, jr. of Washington, and James Edward Douglass of Aldie; one daughter, Miss Martha Douglass, student at St. Margaret's School, Tappahannock, Va.

Funeral services will be held Thursday at 2 p. m. from the Aldie Presbyterian Church, and will be conducted by the Rev. Henry L. Willis. Burial will be in the Leesburg Union Cemetery.

Capt. John F. Whitehurst

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 15 (AP).—Funeral services were held here today for Capt. John Frank Whitehurst, 62, who for 40 years had followed the sea and who died Monday night following a brief illness. His last command was the American steamer John Hart Thomas, which he relinquished only a few weeks ago when the vessel was sold to foreign interests by the United States Maritime Commission.

Mrs. W. Lee Gardner

Waynesboro, Va., Jan. 15.—Mrs. W. Lee Gardner, registered nurse with the Waynesboro duPont works, died suddenly of a heart attack at her home in Blue Ridge Court yesterday afternoon.

Special Gifts Chief Named in Hospital Drive

P. G. Ligon of Brighton, Md., has been named chairman of the special gifts committee in the $75,000 drive for a new maternity department at Montgomery County General Hospital, Inc., Olney, Md.

In announcing the appointment, Mrs. Eugene W. Scott, general chairman, said that 10 zone chairmen will be appointed during next week to direct the solicitation in various parts of the county and adjoining areas.

Funds received during the campaign, which starts February 1, will enable the hospital to meet the rapidly increasing demand for maternity car ein Montgomery and nearby communities.

The hospital, which is open to all, received 1659 patients last year, including 316 maternity cases. The new maternity department will contain 14 beds, together with nurseries, receiving and delivery rooms, doctors' and nurses' rooms and other needed facilities.

Junior College Offers Course In Conservation

A course on "conservation of natural rdesources," will be offered to the public and especially to teachers, by the Montgomery Junior College, with the cooperation of the Maryland Board of Natural Resources, beginning February 3.

The class will meet once a week on Mondays from 7 to 9:50 p. m. Although the course is tuition-free, a matriculation fee of $10 is required of all new enrollees at Montgomery Junior College.

The course is under the direction of Edwin Mft Barry, education assistant in the Maryland State Board of Natural Resources. It is designed to "acquaint students with the necessity, means and methods of protecting the soil, animals, plants and mineral resources of the State and Nation."

Plunkett to Speak

Moss Plunkett, Roanoke, Va., attorney and a former gubernatorial candidate, will speak tonight at a meeting of the Eighth District Committee for Virginia, of the Southern Conference for Human Welfare, in the Lyon Park Community House, North Fillmore st. and Pershing dr., Arlington.

Virginia News

Hospital Survey Finds Only 2.8 Beds For Every 1000 Persons Living in State

Preliminary studies of hospital facilities in Virginia have revealed there are only 2.8 beds for every 1000 persons living in the Commonwealth, a figure considered "inadequate" by State health authorities.

A. G. Howell, staff member of Raiford Memmorial Hospital in Franklin, who is conducting the survey, said it will take all of the 11 million dollars allocated for Virginia for a five-year period under the Hill-Burton Act, plus funds matched by localities on a 2-to-1 ratio to bring the hospital situation in Virginia up to standards recognized as adequate.

The 11 million dollars will not be received by the State until funds for all allocations provided under Hill-Burton Act are appropriated by Congress and after the State survey and master plan has been approved by the Surgeon General of the United States Public Health Service.

The over-all Bureau of Hospital survey will not get under way until after a series of regional meetings which are to begin next Tuesday, even though the basic organization of the survey is virtually complete.

Dr. L. J. Roper, State health commissioner, said the meetings are designed to speed the distribution of questionnaires which will be sent to all public and private hospitals in Virginia and upon which the final figures of the survey will be based.

'March of Dimes' Starts

Volunteer workers throughout the Commonwealth began a 15-day "March of Dimes" campaign yesterday, faced with a quota of $335,000.

As in past years, half of all the money received from Virginians will be kept by the 107 local chapters of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. The other 50 per cent will go directly to the national foundation, where it will be used in training physical therapists and clinicians, in research and in time of infantile paralysis epidemics.

Named to School Board

Waynesboro, Va., Jan. 15.—W. B. Gates, sr., president of Fairfax Hall Junior College, last night was named to the Waynesboro City School Board to fill the unexpired term of the late George H. Harman. A native of Nelson County, Gates has been in public and private school work for more than 45 years.

Cancer Work in State

Charlottesville, Va., Jan. 15 (AP). The Virginia Cancer Foundation handled 780 cases during 1946 and provided treatment for 675 of these as part of its indigent patient program, it was reported to the foundation's executive committee at a meeting here today.

The treatment program for needed cancer sufferers included 494 cases hopeful of cure, 57 palliative cases and 25 terminal cases for which treatments were completed last year, Mrs. Augusta F. Jarman, executive secretary, reported. Ninety-nine cases remained under treatment at the year's end.

Dr. George Cooper, University of Virginia roentgenologist, who presided, in accepting the report pointed out that seven years ago, when the treatment of patients was begun by the foundation, only 36 cases were handled during the 12-month period. The 1945 total was 508 cases.

The average cost of treatment per patient is $115.03, paid from funds raised each year in a Statewide campaign which is conducted as a part of a national fund-raising effort of the American Cancer Society.

$5000 for Hospital Drive

Woodstock, Va., Jan. 15.—The Town Council of Woodstock has made a contribution of $5000 to the proposed Shenandoah County Memorial Hospital. The contribution was made on the condition that the hospital be built near Woodstock.

Aubrey Marshall, chairman of the drive, states that more than $75,000 has now been subscribed.

Wed for 60 Years

Waynesboro, Va., Jan. 15.—Mr. and Mrs. William Jacob Moyer yesterday celebrated their sixtieth wedding anniversary, entertaining members of their family. Mrs. Moyer, the former Mary Ellen Young, was born June 13, 1868, near Staunton; Mr. Moyer, June 13, 1864, near Greenwood. They have 11 living children, 26 grandchildren, and 10 great-grandchildren.

Dr. Edwards Named

Culpeper, Va., Jan. 15.—Dr. James T. Edwards, pastor of the Culpeper Baptist Church for the past 15 years, has been appointed superintendent of the proposed Virginia Baptist Home For the Aged.

The idea for a home originated with Dr. Edwards, who has devoted much time during the last year to presenting the plans to various denominational groups throughout the State.

A site has been purchased 2 miles south of Culpeper, where the million-dollar plant will be erected. Plans are that most of the food will be raised on the premises.

Sufficient funds have been raised to permit construction as soon as materials are available.

County to Pay Claim

Winchester, Va., Jan. 15.—A dog claim amounting to $216 has been approved for payment by the Frederick County Board of Supervisors.

J. I. Stover, Rt. 1-A, Winchester, asked the board to pay him for 27 ewes killed by dogs.

Sheriff John Bywaters said that all of the flock of 65 had been damaged. Some were found dead and others had to be killed, he said.

College's Prettiest

Dorothy Rowe (left) of Fredericksburg, Va., and Elizabeth Goodloe (right) of Chester, Va., were judged the two prettiest students attending Mary Washington College in Fredericksburg at a recent beauty contest conducted by the junior class.

Cattlemen to Meet

Richmond, Va., Jan. 15 (AP).—The Virginia Beef Cattle Producers' Association will convene in sixth annual session here tomorrow concomitantly with the opening of the first annual cattlemen's convention.

The sessions are scheduled to continue through Friday and highlighting the two-day program will be the annual banquet at 7 p. m. Thursday at which F. M. Millon of Phoenix, Ariz., secretary of the American National Livestock Association, will be the principal speaker.

New Page Board Head

Luray, Va., Jan. 15.—Fred Karnes of Shenandoah was named chairman of the Page County board of supervisors at the reorganization meeting. Karnes succeeds Paul Black of Luray, who held the office two years.

Water Route Opposed

S. C. Loveland Co., Inc., asked the Interstate Commerce Commission yesterday to dismiss an application by the Norfolk, Baltimore and Carolina Lines, Inc., to operate water carrier service between Baltimore, Md. and Charleston, S. C.

The Loveland company, an intracoastal water carrier, said in a brief that "over all these waterways there are numerous authorized common and some contract carriers authorized to operate both self-propelled vessels and barge service . . ."

New Church Planned

Waynesboro, Va., Jan. 15.—Plans for construction of a new church near Weyers Cave by the Pleasant Valley Church of the Brethren congregation were approved at the mid-winter meeting of the church council. New church, to be built at an estimated cost of $50,000, will replace a frame structure now in use. Rev. Murray L. Wagner is pastor of the congregation, one of the oldest in the Shenandoah Valley.

Two Officers Promoted

Winchester, Va., Jan. 15.—Two patrolmen on the Winchester police force, Holmes Wisecarver and Joseph C. Ritter, both veterans of World War II, have been advanced to the rank of sergeant, Chief C. W. Hollis announced today.

Wisecarver joined the force in 1937 and Ritter started as night clerk in 1938. Both were given leaves of absence to serve in the U. S. Navy.

Farmer Held for Jury

Leesburg, Va., Jan. 15.—Thomas B. Shodd, 31, Round Hill farmer, was held for action of the grand jury at the coroner's inquest today into the killing of Manley W. Pancoast, 8-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy J. Pancoast of Purcellville.

The child died in the Winchester Memorial Hospital four days after receiving injuries when he was hit by a truck on December 28. The boy was riding his new bicycle on Route No. 7, near Purcellville. Officers testified at the inquest, held by Dr. John A. Gibson, county coroner, that the brakes on Shedd's truck "were not in perfect condition."

Loudoun Banks Elect

Leesburg, Va., Jan. 15.—Two new directors were elected at the annual meetings of the stockholders of Loudoun County banks. At the Loudoun National Bank in Leesburg, Edward C. Norman of Purcellville was elected a new director to take the place of Holland Potter, who resigned when he moved to Maryland. Other directors were reelected. Officers of the Loudoun National Bank were also reelected.

At the Purcellville National Bank, Victor duPont, jr., of Middleburg was added to the directorate. Other directors were reelected.

The Farmers & Merchants National Bank at Hamilton reelected 10 directors, omitting C. B. Tavenner, who has moved to Philadelphia. They reelected all officers. The Round Hill National Bank reelected officers and directors, and the Peoples National Bank in Leesburg made no change in its directorate.

World Needy to Get 15,000 Lbs. of Clothes

Approximately 15,000 pounds of overseas relief clothing collected recently in an Arlington County drive sponsored by all churches have been delivered to the Church World Service Center, New Windsor, Md.

Chairman of the drive was Rev. George H. Yount, of the First Presbyterian Church. He was assisted by Father Thomas P. Scannell, of St. Charles Church, and Rabbi Ira Sud, of the Arlington Jewish Center.

Montgomery Made Head of D. C. Exchange

By S. Oliver Goodman

Thomas C. Montgomery, vice president of Ferris & Co., yesterday was elected president of the Washington Stock Exchange. He succeeds Myles H. Quail, who was made chairman of governing committee for the term expiring in January, 1948.

Mr. Montgomery

Other choices at the annual meeting yesterday of members were: Bernard J. Nees of Johnston, Lemon & Co., vice president; Thomas L. Anglin of Mackall & Coe, secretary, and Joseph P. Kreeger of Robert C. Jones & Co., treasurer.

Named to the governing committee in addition to Mr. Quail were: Mr. Nees for the term expiring in 1949 and Joseph K. McCammon for the term ending in 1950.

Named to the membership committee were: Y. E. Booker, Mr. Nees and Edson B. Olds; committee on listings, Mr. Montgomery, Mr. Quail and Mr. Anglin; committee on business, J. T. Kreeger, Mr. McCammon, James P. Nolan, Paul P. Rodler and Austin B. Rohrbaugh; auditing, William C. Coe and Samuel Z. Bryson, jr.

Nine Officers Are Promoted By D. C. Banks

Nine promotions were announced banks yesterday as more Washington banks held their annual meetings.

Five officers were elevated by the National Savings & Trust Co. and four were promoted by the National Capital Bank.

Details of individual bank actions follow:

National Capital Bank

Four officers were promoted by the directors of the National Capital Bank at their annual meeting yesterday. They are Francis L. Sullivan to auditor, Bernard Eshleman to branch manager and assistant cashier, Gerald E. Burns to assistant branch manager and assistant cashier, Roy R. O'Baugh to assistant cashier. Officers re-elected were George A. Didden, jr., president and chairman of the board; S. Dolan Donohoe, vice president; T. Earle Bourne, vice president; Robert V. Mellefont, vice president; George L. Scheirer, cashier; John N. Birckhead, assistant cashier.

National Savings & Trust Co.

Five promotions were announced yesterday following the meeting of directors of National Savings & Trust Co. They were Henry W. Bransom, Lester A. Lawrence, Charles W. Fitzgerald and Herman G. Lauten promoted to treasurers from assistant treasurers, and J. Russell Bolton to auditor from assistant auditor. The officers re-elected included Bruce B. Baird, president; William B. Willard, David Bornet, Barnum L. Colton and W. Hiels Pardoe, vice presidents; J. Fontaine Hall, vice president and trust officer; R. Perry Yeatman, treasurer; Nelson J. Foster, secretary.

The following directors were re-elected by stockholders: Scott B. Appleby, Bruce Baird, James M. Barnes, Walter M. Bastian, Montgomery Blair, jr., David Bornet, Lewis T. Breuninger, Walter C. Clephane, Charles Conrad, Clark G. Diamond, larence Dodge, H. Rozier Dulany, jr., Harry Eaton, Ernest W. Greene, Albert W. Howard, J. Wriley Jacobs, Anthony F. G. Lucas, Wilson B. Nairn, Brainard W. Parker, James McD. Shea, L. Corrin Strong, William B. Willard.

Prince Georges B. & T. Co.

Stockholders of Prince Georges Bank & Trust Co. have approved an increase in capital stock to $600,000 from $400,000. President T. Howard Duckett reported that the bank's earnings last year were highest in its 31-year-history. He and all other officers were re-elected. All directors likewise were renamed.

Second National Bank

Directors of the Second National Bank reelected all officers, including Victor B. Deyber, chairman of the board; John A. Reilly, president; William M. Hanny, vice president; Joseph R. Fitzpatrick, vice president and cashier; Stuart S. Ogilvie, vice president; Gerald E. Keene, assistant vice president; Tudor Whiton, assistant vice president; Henry P. Hoffman, assistant vice president.

Washington Loan & Trust Co.

President Harry G. Meem announced yesterday, after the meeting of the board of directors, that a quarterly dividend of 3 per cent will be paid February 3, 1947 to stockholders of record January 21, 1947.

Directors re-elected all officers including Harry G. Meem, president; Charles H. Doing, vice president and manager of the West End Branch; Alfred H. Lawson, vice president and secretary; George M. Fisher, vice president; Leonard Marbury, vice president, trust officer, and assistant secretary; Ralph Endicott, treasurer and assistant secretary.

Home Building Association

James W. Woodward, for 40 years secretary of the Home Building Association, was named vice president at the annual shareholders' meeting. His post was filled by his assistant, Otto Hermann. Other officers were reelected, including Samuel M. Thrift, president; Charles L. Norris, vice president; Edgar L. Britt, assistant secretary, and B. R. Sonen, treasurer.

Mutual Building Association

Mutual Building Association reported a good year, with the shareholders reelecting all officers and directors. Lindsey P. Rawley continues as president, Leo F. Diegelmann, vice president; Joseph P. Burke, treasurer; Joseph T. Fitzgerald, secretary, and Joseph P. Burke, jr., assistant secretary-treasurer. Directors named were Percy C. Brady, Harry L. Claxton, William A. H. Church, Alan B. Samuel and Edward R. Witman.

District B. & L. Association

George A. Baker was reelected president of the District Building and Loan Association and all other officers and directors were re-elected at the annual meeting.

Business Briefs Of D. C. Interest

Hecht Co. Win Prize

Twenty-one retail stores yesterday were awarded prizes for outstanding newspaper advertisements in National Retail Dry Goods Association contests.

Among them was the Hecht Co., Washington, first prize for merchandise advertisement in the more than five-million-dollar-volume class.

Hardy Heads Grocers' Group

R. M. Hardy was reelected president of the Nation-Wide Stores, Inc., a cooperative group of 142 retail grocers, at the annual meeting this week. He will serve for his 12th successive year.

Also reelected were Samuel Goldstein, vice president, and Samuel Rosenblum, treasurer. Vernon Foote was appointed secretary. Directors, in addition to the officers, are B. Chasen, Sol Aronoff, A. J. Gibbons, Stanley Golden, Sol Farber, Joe Witcoff, Sam Chasen, T. C. Berry and J. E. Bell.

Gordon Foods Files Issue

Gordon Foods, Inc., Atlanta, Ga., registered yesterday with the Securities and Exchange Commission 150,000 shares of $1 par common stock, of which 25,000 shares will be sold at $5 a share to Johnston, Lemon & Co., Washington, and Allen & Co., New York, principal underwriters.

The shares purchased by the two companies will be for investment, the registration statement disclosed.

The remaining 125,000 shares will be offered to the public at $6 a share and underwriting discounts will be $1 a share.

Airline Lists Changes

Maulsby Forrest of Highland Park, Ill., and C. W. Jacob of Washington have been elected vice presidents of American Airlines, Inc. Mr. Forrest also has been named treasurer of the company, effective February 15.

Also announced was the election of George C. Van Nostrand of Washington as assistant vice president and A. A. Paradis of New York as assistant secretary. Mr. Jacob's and Mr. Van Nostrand's offices are in Washington.

Mr. Forrest, an economist and financial consultant, will succeed as treasurer H. K. Rulison who is retiring. Mr. Jacob replaces T. C. Drinkwater of Washington, who resigned to become president of Western Airlines.

Personnel Notes

Election of Vannevar Bush, who is president of the Carnegie Institution of Washington and chairman of the joint research and development board of the War and Navy Departments, as a director of the American Telephone & Telegraph Co., was announced yesterday.

A. J. Greenough was appointed superintendent of the Pennsylvania Railroad's Maryland division with offices at Baltimore, Md. Greenough, superintendent of freight transportation at Chicago since April 1, 1946, succeeds C. J. Henry who moves to Philadelphia as assistant chief engineer of the Eastern region.

Albert W. D. Carlson, assistant treasurer and chairman of the investment committee of the Sun Life Insurance Co. of America, has been appointed assistant vice president and manager of the investment Credit Co., and subsidiaries.

Earnings Statements

Madison Square Garden Corp. announced for the quarter ended November 30 net profit of $497,481,- equal to 75 cents a share, compared with $341,076, or 52 cents a share, in the like 1945 quarter. Net profit for six months ended November 30 was 3560,009, or 85 cents a share, against $281,551, equal to 43 cents a share, for the similar period a year ago.

Piper Aircraft Corp. reported for the fiscal year ended September 30 net loss of $26,437 compared with a profit of $143,153 in the preceding fiscal year. The loss in the latest year was after taking into the income account $66,056 recovered on prior year's war contracts and $339,000 of tax redits.

Lukens Steel Co. reported for ~~and~~ fiscal year ended October 5 net profit of $650, compared with $2,751,477 in the previous year. Major strikes and shortages of materials which affected production were given as the reasons for the decline in earnings.

Quotations on N. Y. Stock Exchange

By the Associated Press

Total sales yesterday, 770,000 shares; previous day, 850,000; week ago, 785,650; year ago, 2,097,306; two years ago, 1,832,870; January 1 to date, 10,288,270; year ago, 23,887,202; two years ago, 24,026,827.

Dow-Jones Stocks

New York, Jan. 15.

	Open	High	Low	Close	Change
30 inds.	172.69	173.47	171.70	172.10	—0.53
20 rails	47.91	48.08	47.45	47.53	—0.47
15 utils.	35.95	36.10	35.72	35.84	—0.19
65 stks.	62.35	62.61	61.93	62.07	—0.31

Transactions in stocks used in averages today: Industrials, 63,100; rails, 34,490; utilities, 38,200; 65 stocks, 135,790.

	Sales Add 00	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
Abbott Lab	6	79½	79½	79½	+0.¾
ACF-Brill Mot.	3	8¾	8¾	8¾	— ⅛
Acme Stl	3	47	46¾	46¾	+ ⅛
Adams Exp	2	15	14¾	14¾	— ⅛
Addressog- Mult	3	34⅝	33¾	34	— ⅛
Admiral Corp	27	9½	9	9	— ⅛
Air Reduction	11	34⅞	34⅜	34⅜	— ⅜
Alaska Juneau	18	5⅛	5	5⅛	— ⅛
Aldens Inc	1	25¼	25¼	25¼	— ¼
Alleghany Corp	30	4	3⅞	3⅞	— ⅛
Alleghany pf	2	34¾	34	34	— ⅛
Alleghany pr pf	2	56½	56½	56½	— ½
Allen Lad Stl	5	42	41½	41½	— ½
Allen Industries	1	18½	18½	18½	.....
Al Chem & Dye	2	171	170	171	+1
Allied Kid	3	19¼	18¾	19¼	+ ⅜
Allied Mills	10	34	34	34	— ⅛
Allied Strs	28	31	30½	30⅝	— ⅛
Allis-Ch Mfg	17	36	35½	35⅝	— ⅛
Allis-Ch Mfgpf	2	94	94	94	.....
Allis-Ch Mfg pf	2	94	94	94	.....
Alpha P Cem	2	33	33	33	+1
Amal Leather	2	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	.....
Amerada Pet	1	75¼	75¼	75¼	—1⅛
Am Ag Ch Del	3	38¾	38½	38¾	— ⅛
Am Ag Ch Del	3	38¾	38½	38⅝	— ⅛
Am Airlines	39	9¼	8⅞	9	.....
Am Airlines pf	4	68	67½	67½	—½
Am Bank Note	11	27½	26	26	—1½
Am Brake Sh	3	43¼	42¾	42¾	— ¼
Am Cable & R	27	6¼	6	6	.....
Am Can	5	93	92¾	93	+ ⅜
Am Car & Fdy	6	47½	47	47	— ⅛
Am Car & F pf	1	113½	113½	113½	—1½
Am Ch & Cable	1	24	24	24	— ⅛
Am Colortype	1	20½	20½	20½	+ ⅛
Am Crystal Sug	7	21⅞	21½	21½	— ⅛
Am Distill	2	38¾	38	38	—1
Am Encaus Til	2	6	5¾	5¾	.....
Am Export Li	6	17¾	17½	17½	— ⅛
Am & For Pow	15	5¾	5¼	5¼	— ⅛
Am & F P 2 pf	3	20	20	20	— ⅛
Am-Hawaii SS	4	39¾	38¾	39¾	+ ⅜
Am Hide & Lea	1	6½	6½	6½	.....
Am Home Prod	6	32½	32¼	32¼	— ⅛
Am Internat	1	11	10⅞	10⅞	— ⅛
Am Locomot	8	25¾	24¾	24¾	— ⅛
Am Locomot pf	4	115	115	115	.....
Am M & Fdy	4	25¼	25	25	— ⅛
Am M & Met	9	13¾	13½	13¾	— ⅛
Am Metal	9	29⅞	29¼	29¾	+ ⅛
Am Molasses	2	13¼	12¾	12¾	— ⅛
Am News Co	3	37½	37¼	37¼	+ ¼
Am Pow & Li	25	12⅞	12¾	12¾	— ⅛
Am P & L 6 pf	2	114¾	113½	113½	—1¼
Am P & L 5 pf	3	105	104¼	104¼	— ¼
Am Rad & St S	67	14⅝	14	14	— ⅛
Am Roll Mill	19	34½	33⅝	33⅝	— ⅛
Am Safety Raz	6	14¼	14	14	.....
Am Seating	3	21	20½	20½	— ⅛
Am Smelt & R	8	55	54½	54½	—1⅛
Am Smelt& Rpf	1	166½	167	168½	+ ⅜
Am Snuff	4	37	36¼	36¼	+ ⅛
Am Stl Fdrs	12	33½	32⅝	32⅝	— ⅛
Am Stores	7	26⅞	26⅜	26⅜	— ⅛
Am Stove	1	27¼	27¼	27¼	— ⅛
Am Sugar Ref	1	40½	40½	40½	— ⅛
Am Tel & Tel	23	171¾	170⅞	170⅞	— ⅛
Am Tobacco	3	79¾	79¼	79¼	— ⅛
Am Tob B	3	81⅞	81½	81½	— ⅛
Am Viscose	2	53¼	53¼	53¼	— ⅛
Am Wat Wks	26	15¾	15¾	15⅝	— ⅛
Am Woolen	19	28¾	28	28	—2
Am Wool 4 pf	8	81	80	80	.....
Am Zinc L&S	4	9¾	9½	9¾	+ ⅛
Anaconda Cop	34	38½	38	38	— ⅛
Anchor Hock Gl	3	48	47½	47½	— ⅛
Ander-Prich Oil	10	16⅜	16⅛	16⅜	+ ⅛
Arch-Dan-M	5	35	34½	35	— ⅛
Armour & Co	12	13½	13¼	13¼	+ ⅛
Armstrong Cork	4	52	51	51	.....
Armst Cork pf	2	108	105	108	+1
Arnold Const	1	17	17	17	.....
Asso Dry Goods	4	16⅝	16½	16½	— ⅛
Atch T&SF	8	90	88⅝	88⅝	— ⅛
Atch T&SF pf	2	107	105⅝	106⅜	— ⅛
A T F Inc	9	16⅝	16⅜	16⅜	— ⅛
Atl Coast Line	1	47¾	47¾	47¾	— ⅛
Atl G & W Ind	1	26½	26½	26½	—1⅜
Atl Refining	6	34⅝	34	34	— ⅛
Atlas Corp	4	22¾	22¾	22¾	— ⅛
Aust Nichols	4	10½	10½	10½	— ⅛
Aust Nich pf	4	17⅜	17½	17⅜	+ ⅛
Autocar Co	6	24⅞	24½	24½	— ⅛
Aviation Corp	20	6¾	6¼	6¼	— ⅛
Bald Loco	17	19½	19½	19½	.....
Balt & Ohio	35	19¼	19¼	19¼	— ⅛
Balt & Ohio pf	10	20⅜	19¾	19¾	— ⅛
Barker Bros	4	24¾	24	24¾	+1⅛
Barnsdall Oil	9	22¾	21½	21½	— ⅛
Bath Ir Wks	10	18	17¾	17¾	— ⅛
Bayuk Cigars	3	22	21½	21½	— ⅛
Beatrice Foods	3	52½	52	52	—2
Beech Airc	2	10¼	10¼	10¼	+ ⅛
Belding-Hem	1	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝	— ⅛
Bell Airc	4	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝	— ⅛
Bell & Howell	1	21¾	21½	21	+ ⅛
Bendix Aviat	9	35¼	34⅞	35	.....
Benef Ind Ln	3	28	27¼	28	+ ⅛
Best & Co	7	31½	30¾	31	+ ⅛
Best Foods	14	23	22¾	23	+ ⅛
Beth Steel	61	91	90	90½	— ⅛
Bigelow-Sanf	6	55	53¾	54	+ ⅛
Black & Decker	1	36	36	36	+1
Blaw-Knox	6	17⅞	17½	17½	— ⅛
Bliss & Laugh	1	21¾	21½	21½	— ⅛
Bliss E W	1	21¾	21½	21½	— ⅛
Boeing Airplane	17	18⅜	18	18	— ⅛
Bond Strs	14	29⅞	29¾	29¾	— ⅛
Borden Co	12	46	44¾	45½	— ⅛
Borg-Warner	10	46	45¾	45¾	— ⅛
Boston & Maine	6	4¾	4¾	4¾	— ⅛
Bower R Bear	2	35¼	34½	35¼	+ ⅛
Braniff Airw	1	11¼	10⅞	11¼	+ ⅛
Bridgeport Br	11	15⅜	15⅛	15⅜	+ ⅛
Briggs Mfg	12	33¾	33¾	33¾	+ ⅛
Briggs & Strat	3	27¼	26¾	27¼	+ ⅛
Bristol-Myers	4	51	50½	51	+1
Bklyn Un Gas	1	26⅝	26½	26⅝	— ⅛
Brown Shoe	3	35	35	35	— ⅛
Bucyrus-Erie	12	16	15½	15½	— ⅛
Budd Co	42	12¼	12	12¼	— ⅛
Buf Niag El pf	2	101¼	100½	100½	+ ⅛
Bullard Co	4	22¼	22	22	— ⅛
Bulova Watch	9	33¾	32½	33¼	+ ⅛
Burlinq Mills	22	18¼	18¼	18¼	— ⅛
Burr Add Mach	14	14⅜	14	14¼	— ⅛
Bush Terminal	1	6¼	6¼	6¼	— ⅛
Butler Bros	3	21¾	21½	21¾	— ⅛
Butte Cop&Zinc	8	5	5	5	.....
Byers (A M)	1	15⅜	15¾	15¾	— ⅛
Byron Jackson	3	24	24	24	+ ⅛
Calif Packing	7	28⅜	28	28	— ⅛
Callahan Z-Ld	7	3½	3½	3½	.....
Calumet & Hec	13	7¼	7¼	7¼	— ⅛
Campbell Wyant	3	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ⅛
Can Dry G Ale	22	14¾	14¾	14⅝	— ⅛
Canad Pacific	14	12½	12½	12½	+ ⅛
Capital Adm A	2	12½	12½	12½	— ⅛
Caro P & L	8	37½	36¾	36¾	— ⅛
Carrier Corp	4	14¾	14¾	14¾	— ⅛
Case (J I) Co	3	34¼	34¼	34¼	— ⅛
Caterpil Tractor	3	88	87¾	87¾	— ⅛
Celanese Corp	23	18⅞	18½	18½	— ⅛
Celotex Corp	8	27½	26¾	26¾	— ⅛
Cent Aguirre	1	26½	26½	26½	— ⅛
Cent Foundry	8	12	11¾	11¾	+ ⅛
Cen Hud G & E	3	10	9¾	9¾	+ ⅛
Cent R R N J	1	9½	9½	9½	— ⅛
Cerro de Pas	2	33½	33½	33½	— ⅛
Certain-teed Prod	16	20¼	19¾	19¾	— ⅛
Champ Pap&F	2	23¾	23¾	23¾	+ ⅛
Checker Cab	2	16	15¾	15¾	— ⅛
Ches & Ohio	19	51¾	51	51	—1⅛
Chicago Corp	3	15¾	15¾	15¾	.....
Chi & E Ill	10	6¼	6	6	— ⅛
Chi & E Ill A	3	10¼	10¼	10¼	— ⅛
Chi Grt W pf	9	13¾	13	13	— ⅛
Chi Ind&L A et	11	8¾	8½	8½	— ⅛
Chi Mil&St P	1	8¼	8¼	8¼	— ⅛
Chi M St P&Pac	29	11¾	11½	11⅝	— ⅛
C M S P&P pf	34	33¼	32¾	32¾	— ⅛
Chi & N W	4	18¼	18	18¼	— ⅛
Chi & N W pf	43	45	44½	44½	— ⅛
Chi Pneu Tool	2	21¾	21½	21¾	+ ⅛
Chi Yell Cab	1	15	15	15	.....
Chrysler Corp	18	88¾	87	87	—1
Cin G & E	18	28⅞	28½	28½	— ⅛
Cin Mill Mch	2	20¼	20	20	— ⅛
C I T Finan	16	44½	43¾	43¾	— ⅛
City Ice & F	2	30½	30½	30½	— ⅛
City Stores	4	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛	— ⅛
Clark Equip	29	48½	48	48¼	— ⅛
Cleve Cliffs Ir	3	44	43¾	43¾	— ⅛
Climax Molyb	13	20	19¾	19¾	+ ⅛
Clinton Ind	3	35½	34	35½	+ ⅛
Clett Peabody	3	41	40¾	41	.....
Colgate-Palm-P	6	61	60	60	—1⅛
Col Fuel & Ir	17	15¾	13¼	13¾	— ⅛
Col F&Ir pf	1	19	18¾	18¾	— ⅛
Colum Br pf A	1	31¾	31¾	31¾	— ⅛
Colum Br pf B	1	30¼	30¼	31	+ ⅛
Colum G&E	39	11¾	11½	11⅝	— ⅛
Colum Pict	3	18¼	18¼	18¼	— ⅛
Colum Carbon	2	34½	34½	34½	— ⅛
Col & So Oh El	3	47	46¾	46¾	— ⅛
Coml Credit	1	23	23	23	— ⅛
Coml Solvts	25	22¾	22¾	22¾	— ⅛
Com'wlth Edis	24	31¾	31½	31½	— ⅛
Com'wlth & So	208	3¾	3½	3¾	— ⅛
Som & Sou pf	6	118¾	118½	118½	— ⅛
Comde Nast	16	12⅞	12¾	12¾	— ⅛
Congol-Nairn	4	26½	25¾	26	— ⅛
Cons Coppermin	3	5¾	5¾	5¾	— ⅛
Cons Edison	32	27¾	27	27	— ⅛
Cons Edison pf	1	106½	106¾	106¾	— ⅛
Cons Grocers	4	13¾	13½	13½	— ⅛
Cons Laundries	1	13¾	13½	13½	— ⅛
Cons Nat Gas	6	51	49½	50¼	— ⅛
Con RR Cuba pf	8	24½	24	24	—1¼
Cons Vultee	15	15¾	15½	15¾	— ⅛
Container Corp	15	43¾	42½	43	+ ⅛
Cont Can	29	38¾	38	38¾	— ⅛
Cont Diam Fib	3	10	10	10	+ ⅛
Cont Bak	14	17	16⅛	16¾	+ ⅛
Cont Ins	1	49¼	49¼	49¼	+ ⅛
Cont Motors	32	9¼	9¼	9¼	— ⅛
Cont Oil Del	21	37¾	36½	37	+ ⅛
Cooper-Bess	1	14¾	14¾	14¾	— ⅛
Copperweld Stl	4	13½	13½	13½	— ⅛
Corn Products	12	71¼	69⅝	69⅝	—1¼
Cornell-Dub El	1	18⅛	18	18	— ⅛
Corning Glass	5	28½	28	28	— ⅛
Coty Inc	1	7¾	7¾	7¾	— ⅛
Coty Internat	1	4	4	4	— ⅛
Crane Co	17	37½	36¼	36¾	—1⅛
Crown Cork & S	2	38⅛	38	38	.....
Crown Ck pf	3	49½	49½	49½	.....
Crown Zeller	8	30¾	29¾	29¾	— ⅛
Crucible Steel	7	28¾	28½	28⅝	— ⅛
Crucible Stl pf	1	90	90	90	.....
Cub-Am Sugar	5	18⅛	18⅜	18⅜	+ ⅛
Cuddahy Pack	1	41½	40¾	41½	— ⅛
Cunning Drug	1	52	52	52	—3
Curtis Publishng	28	9¼	9¼	9¼	— ⅛
Curtiss-Wright	15	5¾	5½	5⅝	— ⅛
Curtiss-Wr A	3	19¾	19½	19½	— ⅛
Cutler-Ham	3	27¾	27¾	27¾	— ⅛
Dana Corp	2	27½	27½	27½	— ⅛
Davison Chem	2	17¾	17¾	17¾	— ⅛
Dayton P&L	20	33¾	33¾	33¾	— ⅛
Dayton Rub	2	19¼	19¼	19¼	— ⅛
Decca Records	20	17½	17½	17½	— ⅛
Deere & Co	13	35¾	35¼	35¼	— ⅛
Del & Hudson	3	38¾	38½	38½	— ⅛
Del Lack & W	7	67	67	67	— ⅛
Detroit Edison	8	25¾	25½	25½	— ⅛
Devoe & Ray A	6	28¾	28	28	— ⅛
Diamond Match	3	44	44	44	— ⅛
Diam Match pf	2	45½	45½	45½	— ⅛
Diam T Motor	2	18¼	18¼	18¼	— ⅛
Dist Corp-Seag	100	14½	13¾	14	— ⅛
Dr Pepper	3	30½	30½	30½	— ⅛
Doehler-Jarvis	6	30¼	29¾	30	— ⅛
Dome Mines	14	17½	17½	17½	— ⅛
Douglas Aircraft	2	164¾	164	164¾	— ⅛
Dow Chem	21	70	70	70	— ⅛
Dresser Indust	18	20¼	19¾	19¾	— ⅛
Duplan Corp	1	30	30	30	+ ⅛
du Pont de N	2	182¾	182¼	182½	— ⅛
Eagle-Pich	2	20¾	20	20	— ⅛
Eastern Air L	12	18⅛	18	18¼	— ⅛
Eastman Kodak	12	217	217	217	— ⅛
Eaton Mfg	2	50	49½	50	.....
Edis Bros Stre	3	22¼	22	22¼	.....
Elec Auto-Lite	11	55	54½	54¾	— ⅛
Elec Boat	9	14⅜	14¼	14⅜	— ⅛
El Boat Di	1	39	39	39	.....
El & Mus Ind	3	3¾	3¾	3¾	— ⅛
El Power & Lt	19	15⅝	15½	15⅝	— ⅛
El Pow&Lt7 pf	1	159½	159½	159½	— ⅛
El Pow&Lt $6pf	1	144	144	144	—4
El Storage Bat	2	48¼	48¼	48½	— ⅛
El Paso N Gas	1	51¾	51¾	51¾	— ⅛
Emerson El M	3	12¼	12	12	— ⅛
Emer Rad&Ph	4	18	17¾	18	+ ⅛
Empire D El	2	18½	18½	18½	— ¼
Endicott-Johns	4	74½	74	74	— ⅛
Eng Pub Svc	51	31¾	31	31½	— ⅛
Equit Off Bldg	8	3	2⅞	2⅞	.....
Erie RR	8	10⅞	10⅝	10⅝	— ⅛
Erie RR pf A	6	27	26	26	+2
Eureka Wms	2	10½	10½	10½	— ⅛
Evans Products	1	20	20	20	.....
Eversharp	4	23	22¾	22¾	— ⅛
Ex-Cell-O	1	39¾	39¾	39¾	+1⅛
Fairbanks Mor	1	53	53	53	—1⅝
Fajardo Sugar	3	25½	25½	25½	— ⅛
Farns Tel&Rad	4	7¾	7¾	7¾	— ⅛
Fed Lt & Trac	1	22½	22½	22½	— ⅛
Fed Mot Truck	2	12¼	12¼	12¼	.....
Federal D Strs	13	22	21¼	21¾	— ⅛
Firestone T & R	7	56	55¼	55¾	+ ⅛
First T&R pf	2	105⅝	105⅝	105⅝	.....
First Nat Strs	2	55½	55½	55½	—1½
Fitzh Carpet	1	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝	— ⅛
Flintkote	12	33¾	32½	32½	— ⅛
Florence Stove	2	39½	39½	39½	— ⅛
Florida Pow	2	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞	— ⅛
Follansbee Stl	2	15½	15½	15½	— ⅛
Food Fair Strs	2	12¾	12¾	12¾	+ ⅛
Food Machinery	1	90	90	90	—1
Foster Wheeler	2	23⅜	23⅜	23⅜	+ ⅛
Fost Wheel 6 pf	1	26¾	25	26¾	+ ¾
Francisco Sugar	1	23¾	23¾	23¾	.....
Freeport Sulph	2	45½	45½	45½	— ⅛
Froedt G & M	9	20	18⅝	20	+2
Fruehauf Tra	9	34	33	33	— ⅛
Gabriel Co	1	12¼	12¼	12¼	— ⅛
Gair (Robt)	11	6¾	6¾	6¾	— ⅛
Galvin Mfg	9	10	9⅝	10	+ ⅛
Gamewell Co	2	15¾	15½	15½	— ⅛
Gar Wood Ind	3	8¼	8	8	— ⅛
Gar Wood pf	1	38¾	38¾	38¾	.....
Gaylord Cont	7	17¼	17	17	.....
Gen Am Invest	5	13⅝	13⅝	13⅝	.....
Gen Am Trans	3	51½	51	51½	+ ⅛
Gen Baking	4	12½	11⅞	11½	+ ⅛
Gen Bronze	1	17¾	17¾	17¾	+ ⅛
Gen Cable	25	12½	12	12⅛	— ⅛
Gen Elec	39	36¼	35½	35½	— ⅛
Gen Foods	19	43	42¼	42¼

The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson

WHEN the history of postwar peace is finally written, one of the most important chapters will deal with the sudden improvement of American-Russian relations in the late fall of 1946.

Molotov

And with the resignation of the one man who sat all through those negotiations, it is now possible to reveal some of the gripping, day-to-day drama by which Jimmie Byrnes, almost single-handed, accomplished this improvement.

All during the sessions of the Paris Peace Conference, Molotov was nasty. He was deliberately, consistently, almost unbearably nasty. This writer, who watched part of the Paris Peace Conference, marveled at the way Jimmy Byrnes smiled back at the goading of the Soviet Foreign Minister.

Byrnes, however, surmised what probably was true; namely, that Molotov was acting under instructions from Moscow—instructions to make the peace negotiations as difficult as possible.

Despite Molotov's pin-pricking, however, he and Byrnes continued the social amenities, and once every week or so they dined together—a very small dinner attended only by their two interpreters, Pavlov and Chip Bohlen, and their two chief advisers, Ben Cohen and Vice Commissar Vishinsky.

Nasty as Molotov was during the early days of the Conference, his nastiness increased toward the end. Finally as Byrnes gave his last dinner to Molotov and it was the latter's turn to return the invitation, the usually punctilious Molotov did not do so. This Brynes interpreted as a sign that things were getting even worse.

The Last Dinner

FINALLY, Molotov proposed that all negotiations be terminated by the next night, and simultaneously invited Byrnes to dinner on the closing night—a clear indication that he didn't want to expose himself to Byrnes' contagious charm before staging his last burst of temperament at the wind-up of the Paris Conference.

The last session closed at 9:30; so Byrnes and Molotov did not sit down to dinner until 10 p.m. And as the two tired statesmen relaxed over their brandy, Byrnes said to the man who had so bitterly opposed him:

"Why didn't you tell me at the start there were certain things you couldn't discuss? It's obvious that you have instructions not to discuss certain points. Why didn't you tell me so? Instead, you have called us names, wasted a lot of time and got everybody mad. If you had told us that you couldn't discuss certain things, we wouldn't have bothered you."

"That's a good idea," replied Molotov, still unbending.

But later, as the Russian mellowed a bit more, Byrnes approached him again.

What Moscow Really Wants

"WHAT IS it that Russia really wants?" he asked. "Behind all this argument and conversation, what are you really driving at?"

"Ten billion dollars reparations from Germany," Molotov shot back.

"But you know you can't get it."

"It was agreed to at Yalta," argued Molotov.

"No, it was agreed at Yalta that Russia's claim would be a point for discussion," countered Byrnes. "President Roosevelt made that very clear. And later, at Potsdam, we wasted a lot of time debating that and Truman and Stalin finally agreed this was to be only a point for discussion."

The Secretary of State then asked Molotov what other backstage motive lurked behind Russia's disagreeable tactics at the Paris Conference.

"What else do you want?" he inquired.

"The Ruhr," replied Molotov.

Again Byrnes said no.

It was on this very sour and negative note that the Paris Conference closed. Neither side had budged an inch and behind the Soviet policy of studied insults, it was obvious they were aiming at important economic goals.

It was in this same atmosphere that the Big Four conference talks first began in New York. Only significant development between Paris and New York was Molotov's quick trip back to Moscow, where it was reported he got fresh instructions from the Politburo. What these instructions were nobody definitely knows, though it was believed the friendly advice Molotov received from Byrnes during their dinner in Paris may have been relayed back to Moscow and sunk home.

Yugoslavs Outbluffed

THOUGH MORE agreeable, the Russians yielded on nothing basic, and the climax of the New York talks came when Yugoslav Vice Premier Kardelj quit the conference altogether. Yugoslavia would not yield on Trieste, Kardelj said, and walked out.

Since Trieste was the heart of the entire Italian treaty, this looked like the end. Next day, however, Yugoslav Delegate Kardelj came to see Byrnes and suggested a compromise. Byrnes listened carefully but found that the compromise was all in Yugoslavia's favor. He replied that it was unacceptable.

"Don't you want a treaty?" asked the puzzled Yugoslav.

"No," replied the Secretary of State. "We have given up all thought of a treaty. You walked out on us yesterday, and since then we have given up any idea of signing a treaty.

"We have talked it over with the Italians," Byrnes continued, "and they are quite agreeable to waiting until next year. Next year they say they'll be stronger and will be able to take care of the situation by themselves.

"We're going to leave our troops in Trieste, of course," Byrnes informed the now popeyed and bewildered Yugoslav. "You won't have to worry about policing the city. We'll take care of that.

"No," concluded the Secretary of State. "We've simply decided that there are too many headaches in getting a peace treaty, so we just won't worry about it any more."

The Yugoslav delegate looked very crestfallen. Jimmie Byrnes' trump diplomatic card was beginning to work.

(Ed. note—Another column on Secretary Byrnes' strategy in improving Russian relations will follow shortly.)

Capital Chaff

SEVERAL DEMOCRATIC Senators met with Senator Murray of Montana last week to draft a moderate labor law curbing jurisdictional strikes and secondary boycotts but otherwise not cracking down on labor . . . The Soviet Politburo has approved a new Argentina-Russian economic treaty . . . Harold Smith, former director of the budget, may replace Jack Hutson as assistant secretary general of the United Nations . . . The Polish Government will formally request the Moscow Conference that the German peace treaty be signed in Poland. It was Hitler's invasion of Poland that started the war, and they want the end of the war to be commemorated in Poland.

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You gave me a clout on the knuckles . . .
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the primary purpose of providing additional funds for raising the teachers' pay.

The Labor Committee's reversal on the union registration bill by Delegate Phillips of Richmond came quickly after the House adjourned today. P illips moved to reconsider the tie vote, which would have had the effect of killing the bill, and there were no audible "noes." It then was reported, also without apparent dissent.

"Atrocious," Says CIO Leader

The measure, which requires labor unions to register with the Commissioner of Labor and show salaries paid officers as well as file the periodic reports of receipts and expenditures, was vigorously attacked by labor spokesmen. Ernest B. Pugh, regional CIO director, termed the bill "unnecessary, uncalled-for and atrocious in its implications," and Jack Smith, president of the State Federation of Labor, declared it "wholly unnecessary."

The Senate dispatched its business of the day in rapid-fire order. With a unanimous vote, it passed and sent to the House the Clarke-Medley bill appropriating $5000 for a State survey and inventory of existing hospitals facilities in Virginia, a pre requisite to the State's participation in Federal hospital construction funds under the Hill-Burton Act. Two companion bills providing for the licensing and inspection of medical and mental hospitals will come up for consideration tomorrow.

More Hospitalization Funds

Also quickly approved was the Bird-Minter-Neff Bill appropriating an additional $300,000 for this biennium for hospitalization, care and treatment of indigent persons. The bill corrects an oversight of the 1946 session, which appropriated only half the amount originally intended.

The Senate completed action on two House resolutions calling for Advisory Legislative Council studies. One calls for a study of the jurisdiction of Juvenile Courts, with special attention to offenses falling within the category of felonies, and the second asks a report on means of preventing juvenile delinquency, together with recommendations on methods of schooling and caring for such delinquents. The reports will be rendered to the 1948 session.

A resolution by Delegate Edwin Lynch, of Fairfax, was adopted calling for a VALC study of problems of localities in northern Virginia adjacent to the District of Columbia, and another resolution by Delegate E. O. McCue jr., of Charlottesville, also was approved providing for an over-all study of education in Virginia and incorporating a previously offered resolution on the subject introduced by Delegates J. Maynard Magruder and George Damm, of Arlington County. McCue said the study covered matters beyond the range of a Senate joint resolution dealing primarily with the financing of the school program.

News, Radio Men Fly To Occupation Zones

Ten newspaper and radio editors left Washington on an Air Transport Command plane yesterday for an inspection tour of the European occupation zones.

The group included:

Virginius Dabney, editor of the Richmond, Va., Times-Dispatch; Coleman Harwell of the Nashville Tennessean; Victor O. Jones of the Boston Globe; E. F. Pompkins, New York Journal and American; Dwight Young, Dayton Journal and the Herald; Erik Oberg, Industrial Press Publications; Everett Holles, Columbia Broadcasting System; Frazier Hunt, Mutual Broadcasting System; Gene Gillett, United Press; John H. Martin, International News Service.

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on the bill. He declared he had not yet made up his mind on the measure.

The Navy also proposed legislation for moving the Navy Postgraduate School from Annapolis to Monterey, Calif. Under the proposal, a new school costing $28,150,000 would be built at the Monterey site.

A letter from Acting Secretary Sullivan to Speaker Martin declared that the Navy "after searching study" has determined that Monterey is the "best suited of many locations investigated."

Minister Accused Of Adultery With Member of Choir

Grand Rapids, Mich., Jan. 15 (AP). A 54-year-old Methodist minister and a 40-year-old member of his church choir were charged with adultery today in a warrant issued by Police Judge Edward G. Burleson.

The actio i against the Rev. Daniel L. Reedy, a veteran of 25 years in the ministry, and Mrs. Mary Marguerite Cowles came upon complaint of Mrs. Cowles' husband, Paul.

Assistant Detective Inspector Frank J. Bielicki said the couple had last been heard from in Dallas, Tex., and that authorities there had been asked to look for them.

The Rev. E. H. Babbitt, superintendent of the Grand Rapids Methodist District, said the Rev. Reedy tendered his resignation January 8 as pastor of the Plainfield Methodist Church.

Jewish Center to Elect

Members of the Jewish Community Center will hold their twenty-first annual meeting to elect officers and a board of directors for 1947 at the center tonight at 8:30 p. m.

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New Rule-Makers

Through long experience the name "Rules Committee" has become almost synonymous with "railroading," "legislative dictatorship," and "arbitrary action." Political scientists have cried out for reform of the committee, and legislators have protested with deep bitterness over its strange conduct. The press has denounced it as a monkey wrench in the machinery of democracy. And the committee has usually deserved most of the brickbats that have been flung in its direction. It is a matter of no little significance, therefore, that the Republicans in the House have reorganized the committee, with six of their eight seats on it going to new members.

Heading the list of new rule-makers are James W. Wadsworth of New York and Christian A. Herter of Massachusetts, both middle-of-the-road leaders of outstanding quality. The fact that Representative Wadsworth has given up his position on the Foreign Affairs Committee and a priority for the new Committee on Armed Services is an indication of the importance attached to his new assignment. It naturally raises the hope that the Rules Committee may once more become the powerful instrument of constructive legislative programming that it was designed to be.

This committee can give the green light to any measure on the House floor. With equal facility, it can block bills that its members dislike. Or it can send legislation to the House floor with rigid restrictions as to debate and the right of proposing amendments. With the cooperation of the Speaker, it can become the governing committee of the House. The large question that looms up is whether this enormous power will be used for constructive management of legislative procedure or for obstructionism of the type that is so frequently associated with the committee.

There is another hopeful augury in the fact that all the Republican members of the Rules Committee have been given places in the 20-man GOP Steering Committee in the House. Here is at least a suggestion that the rule-makers will be held in check by and subject to the direction of a nucleus of policy-makers. Certainly that is the ideal toward which the new House majority should be working. The Rules Committee could then be used to support and implement party policy, instead of exerting its power narrowly to advance or retard petty legislation or to give effect to the prejudices of some of its members.

The Republicans have been sharply critical of the dictation to which the committee often stooped under the control of Southern Democrats. Is the GOP now prepared to institute the reforms it so recently demanded of its opponents? If not, it will miss the best opportunity of recent years to relieve our legislative system of its most conspicuous device for thwarting democratic action.

Council And The Atom

The first question that the U. N. Security Council has to decide in considering the General Assembly's disarmament resolution is whether to consider that resolution as a whole, including the recommendation for international control of atomic energy, or give priority to the latter problem. The first course is favored by Russia, the second by the United States. Possibly a compromise may be found in the proposal of Sir Alexander Cadogan, the British delegate, that separate and simultaneous consideration be given to atomic energy control and to general disarmament.

This question of priority involves more than a technicality. The line-up of the delegates may reveal the degree of importance that the various members of the Security Council attach to the problem of international atomic energy control. We may also get a clew from the course of the debate as to how much real agreement there is in establishing a water-tight system of international operation, inspection and control of the new epochal force. The fairly general assumption that on all matters except the use or nonuse of the veto in the punishment of violators of the atomic energy agreement Russia and the United States see eye to eye may be correct. But there is no certainty of it. For, in dealing with the subject, Foreign Minister Molotov and Andrei Gromyko, the Russian delegate on the Security Council and the Atomic Energy Commission, used language that was anything but precise.

The one thing that is clear—and it was underlined anew by the statement issued after Monday's conference between Bernard M. Baruch and Warren R. Austin, the American representative on the U. N. Security Council—is that the United States will continue to insist upon the basic principles of the Baruch plan. Much time is certain to elapse before the Council will have completed its task of drawing up a treaty regarding the international control of atomic energy and the going into force of that treaty. The veto issue may prove only one and possibly not even the most important of the difficulties ahead of the Security Council. For our part the proposed atomic development authority will be a mockery of what the times require if it does not derive its power for day-to-day operations and for sanctions against a treaty breaker from the treaty setting it up.

Air Accidents

Congressional concern over the current rash of airline accidents may serve a valuable purpose. Properly directed, an investigation such as proposed by several Senators and Representatives could bring to light the root of the trouble. That, in our opinion, is money, or the lack of it. Neither the airlines nor the Government is putting into air safety research—and practical adaptation of already proved devices—more than a fraction of what is needed. Since the financial condition of the airlines is not bright, the problem harks back to the support the Government is willing to give through the Civil Aeronautics Administration, the agency responsible for operating the airways. So far the CAA's funds for research and development have been deplorably low.

There is some validity, we think, to the contention of Senator Brewster that public confidence in air travel has been sapped by recent crashes. That confidence will not be restored by mere publication of figures indicating that the airline safety record has consistently improved and was better in 1946 than in 1945. For most people, the passenger fatality rate of 1.6 per 100 million passenger miles in 1946 as opposed to 2.31 in 1945 is an irrelevant statistic. Airlines suffer in this respect because most of their accidents are spectacular and because the probability of death in such accidents is great. Nor is public confidence likely to be encouraged by the knowledge that several important safety aids already proved workable by the Army and Navy have not yet been put into use at civilian airports. The problem of lost planes and blind landings, for instance, has definitely been licked by war-time electronic developments. If money for installation were available, a combination of such facilities both on the ground and in planes would be a guarantee against failure of any one safety device.

Possibly there is something to be said for a probe of the Civil Aeronautics Board's position as both the instigator of safety rules and the agency charged with investigating accidents. The primary value in a congressional inquiry, however, would be in exposing the extremely limited scope with which the safety problem has been approached. The Civil Aeronautics Administration has a budget of only $875,000 for research and development in the fiscal year 1947, and only $180,000 of this is devoted to radio and radar. The $1,600,000 asked for 1948 is not much better. Nor can the one-million-dollar program announced by the airlines be considered adequate. The fact is that we are still playing with pennies on a problem that requires a concerted, all-out attack if it is to be solved in time to aid 1947's pressing needs. If a congressional investigation can focus attention on the paucity of our efforts, and galvanize a concentrated drive into action, it will help materially in bringing about the sort of air safety facilities to which the public is entitled.

Sauce For The Gander

As to whether the appointment of General Marshall as Secretary of State really presages, as some believe, an improvement in Russo-American relations and a new spirit of mutual conciliation and confidence, the test, it seems to us, will come on the question of diplomatic reciprocity. It is not unreasonable to propose that the Russians show as much readiness to admit American consular officers and employes to the Soviet Union as they show in asking for the admission of their own nationals to the United States for the same purposes.

As matters stand, the United States has only one real consulate throughout the whole of Russia, namely, at Vladivostok, where the consul, Mr. O. E. Chubb, is served by a single American clerk, although at Moscow where Mr. Horace Smith, first secretary of the American Embassy, doubles in the role of United States consul, the staff is apparently somewhat larger. Anyway, the total of American consular employes in Russia is given as 10. The Russians, on the other hand, maintain fairly elaborate consular establishments in Los Angeles, San Francisco and New York, and the number of Russian consular employes and their wives is given as 128.

There is the same necessity of a genuinely reciprocal spirit in the matter of passport visas. The congressional Committee on Postwar Economic Policy and planning, or the Colmer Committee, has recommended that permission to enter the United States or the American zones of occupation in Europe should be granted to or withheld from Soviet nationals precisely to the extent that Americans are allowed or denied the privilege of entering Russia or parts of Europe occupied by the Russians. Neither the justice nor the wisdom of this recommendation needs to be argued. It is true, of course, that a certain xenophobia has always characterized Russian policy in these matters. Prior to 1914, the Russia of the Tsars and the Turkey of the Sultans were the only countries of Europe which jealously restricted the admission of foreign visitors or required passports of them. Under the Soviet regime, however, this policy has been carried to a fantastic extreme.

On this question, as in most others, the Russian tactic has been to demand the most and to concede the least. That is, while the Russians have shown a considerable eagerness to open new consulates in the United States and Canada, they have been singularly cold to the notion of new or larger American or Canadian consulates in Russia. Nor have the Russians been content even with the one-sided system of representation now existing. It is no great secret that unaccredited agents of Soviets are, with the connivance of the Moscow government and of its numerous native allies, now traveling or residing in North America on passports or other credentials forged or fraudulently obtained. Doubtless this is also true in Latin America. Some inkling of the extent and character of the Russian traffic in false passports is contained in the Report of the Royal Canadian Commission published last year at Ottawa.

Dr Bramuglia's Illusions

The illusions which sometimes guide dictator governments in their attitude toward the outside world are not infrequently the product of intensely self-centered thinking plus plain misinformation. A good illustration is at hand in the interpretation given by adherents of the Peron regime in Argentina to the resignation of James F. Byrnes as Secretary of State. Believing what they want to believe, the Peronistas have scoffed at the explanation that this resignation was the result of Mr. Byrnes' ill health. They have insisted, instead, that it was brought about by a sharp disagreement over policy between the Secretary of State and the President. In their eyes, therefore, Mr. Byrnes' resignation is a triumph for President Peron, since it is certain to mark a change of American policy toward Argentina.

Dr. Juan Atilo Bramuglia, Argentine Foreign Minister, has gone to the unprecedented length of making a personal attack on Mr. Byrnes and calling on Ambassador Messersmith as witness against him. In his Cleveland speech, Mr. Byrnes had stated categorically that "neither our ambassador nor any official of the State Department is of the opinion that Argentina has yet complied with the commitments which she as well as the other American republics at Chapultepec agreed to carry out." Such charges, says Dr. Bramuglia, are "intolerant and unjust" and he asks Mr. Messersmith, "who is a gentleman and whom the Argentine people admire as a fine expression of the spirit of a grand people" to testify to Argentina's efforts. This piece of crudeness, we can be sure, will be most embarrassing to Mr. Messersmith.

Dr. Bramuglia must be suffering from a peculiar kind of astigmatism to declare, as he does that "the Argentine government has done everything possible to carry out its international pledges." We suspect that the Peronist rejoicing over Mr. Byrnes' impending departure from office will prove of limited duration. That Argentine policy which he supported was the product not of any personal decisions but of incontrovertible facts. Unless and until these facts are changed, a change in policy would hardly seem to be likely.

Horse's Mouth

Government information leaks are roughly of two types. There is the official or purposeful leak which comes right from the horse's mouth and takes the form of a confidential aside to a privileged reporter—sometimes for the sake of doing him a special favor, more often for the sake of using him as a mouthpiece for information which it would be awkward to utter officially. And there is the unofficial or capricious leak which comes from someone in or around the stable and is designed either to advance the interest of the leaker or injure the interest of someone else. Reporters accept these at their peril but sometimes gain reputations for prescience as a result of them. The planted story, the trial balloon, the revelation from unidentified high officials or authoritative quarters or unimpeachable sources generally fall within this category.

We think that either type of leak is mischievous, especially if blotted up by the reporters of any other newspaper. It is said by persons in close contact with friends of men who have had some sort of association with the new Secretary of State that he means henceforth to abolish the leak utterly in all its forms and faucets. We trust that this redoubtable purpose will prevail, but we are not without our doubts, human frailty and reportorial curiosity being what they are. There is, of course, only one sure cure—the wide open petcock. There can be no leakage if there is full freedom of information directly from the fountainhead.

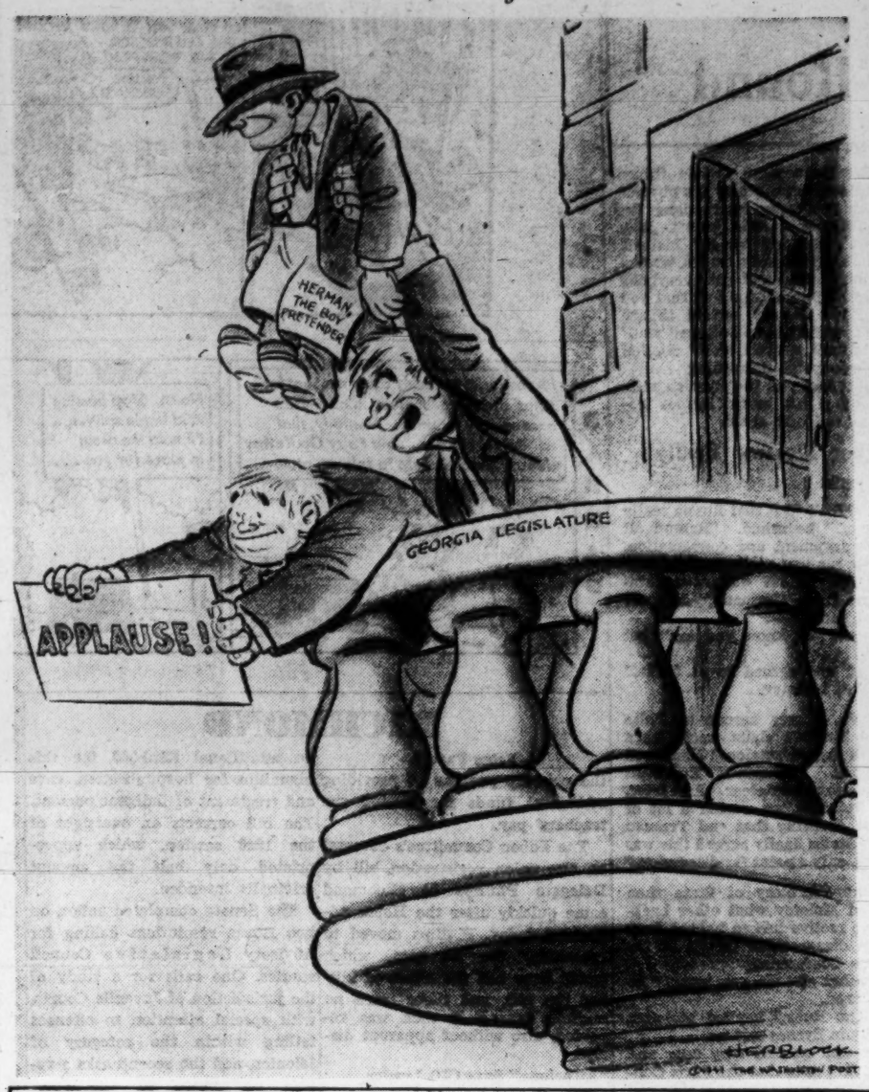
TURN, SPINNING WHEEL!

Turn, O my spinning wheel!
the swallow has returned to her nest,
and the lark in the meadow has sung
its last song;
the magpie, who chatters upon my roof,—
what does it say to me?
Does it grieve for a lost mate,
or is it a message for me
that it tells?

All things come home;
the laborer, free from his work,
the children return from their play,
the young husband is eager for home;
only I am alone,—
I, and the magpie on my roof.
Turn, my spinning wheel!
You are the one that can sing
my need and my loneliness.

DAVID ATAMIAN

"Attention, Subjects!"



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"Bilbo Appointment"

In your editorial "Bilbo Appointment" of January 11, you indicate your opinion that, in the event of Mr. Bilbo's appointment by the Governor, *expulsion* will be the Senate's only remedy, that the power of each House of Congress to pass upon the "qualifications" of its members applies only to constitutional requirements. It does seem to me that, on reason and logic, you are right, that to go beyond the territory you indicate would be extremely dangerous, for the reason that, when the Senate or House goes into a prospective member's character, honesty, etc., there is no limit.

However, are there not precedents for doing that very thing, that is, going beyond constitutional requirements? Some years ago, did not the House of Representatives persistently refuse to seat a Socialist Congressman-elect from Wisconsin for the reason that he was under indictment (for sedition, or some similar offense). And, when the indictment was out of the way (by acquittal or dismissal), was he not then seated?

But I have in mind another case, going back into ancient history. When Utah first became a State, the first Congressman elected was a Mr. Roberts who had three wives, which caused a great clamor throughout the country. One view was your theory, that Mr. Roberts should first be seated, then expelled. Another view was that he should not be seated. The latter view prevailed. True, the "decisions" in these Wisconsin and Utah cases may have been thoroughly wrong, and perhaps State decisions should not apply, but there they are.

However, another question arises. You state that, in the event of Mr. Bilbo's appointment, "there can be no doubt respecting the validity of Mr. Bilbo's credentials." Let me refer to Paragraph 3 of Section 3 of Article 1 of the original Federal Constitution, particularly the clause providing that "if vacancies happen by *resignation or otherwise* during the recess of the Legislature of any State, the executive thereof may take *temporary appointment until the next meeting of the Legislature which shall then fill such vacancies.*"

Compare that with Section 2 of Article XVII of the constitutional amendments, particularly the provision that "*when vacancies happen* in the representation of any State in the Senate, the Legislature may empower the "executive thereof to make *"temporary appointment until the people fill the vacancies by election* as the Legislature may direct."

Going back again into ancient history, recall the Quay case in Pennsylvania. In that case, the Legislature balloted daily during the entire session and failed to elect. Immediately upon the Legislature's adjournment, the Governor appointed Mr. Quay. My recollection is that the Senate refused to seat him on the ground that the provision for filling a vacancy by temporary appointment did not apply to a vacancy arising from a mere failure to elect.

Perhaps the Quay "decision" was wrong, perhaps the two cases (Quay and Bilbo) are distinguishable, perhaps there is a material difference between the two constitutional provisions, but maybe there is something to think about.

ARTHUR M. BLAISDELL.
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"France And The Saar"

In your January 3 editorial "France and the Saar," you accused the French of breach of international etiquette, unilateral action, and trying to put the Allies before the *fait accompli* in the Saar, because they erected between that region and the rest of Germany a custom barrier.

As far as etiquette is concerned, General Clay, the American commander in Germany, has altered the previous declaration by saying that he had never protested against the fact of the matter, which he would even have approved, if he had been warned ahead of time. As Secretary of State Byrnes has admitted that the French delegates to the Foreign Ministers Council had advised other Foreign Ministers in time during their meeting in New York, it seems, as the magazine *Newsweek* suggested, that all the controversy was the result of some misunderstanding between Washington and the American headquarters in Germany.

As for the facts, France gives the following reasons for her action: The French zone is the only Allied area of occupation which has a balanced budget, thanks, as the *New York Sun* wrote it in a well-documented article, to the forethought of the French administration. As it is known that the American Government would not oppose an incorporation of the Saar within the French economic system, German marks are poured into the Saar in the hope that they will be eventually exchanged by the French at an advantageous rate.

On the other hand, France in exchange for wood, coal and other raw materials, sends foodstuffs to the Saar out of her own meager supply. She could not tolerate seeing that food the object of speculation between the Saar and the other zones.

These are the very simple explanations for an administrative measure which could obviously not be taken as a measure of annexation and which has been taken with the complete knowledge of America and other Big Four officials, whose Foreign Offices never protested. ALBERT SIMARD.
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Italy's Claim To Trieste

Your reader Joseph Picone (letter published January 8) stating that Italy has, among many other things, a historic claim to Trieste, is utterly wrong. That city did not, as he says, belong to "Italy" (whatever that may have been) from the days of ancient Rome to 1797. Quite the contrary, it belonged to Austria from 1382 to 1919, apart from a short interruption when it belonged to Napoleon's empire.

Under Austria it became a flourishing seaport, under Italy—if there had been any—it would have remained an insignificant town, for it was the adjoining hinterland that made Trieste great.

And what does Mr. Picone, supposing he were right, mean anyway? Does he want to claim for Italy every place in Europe and, indeed, Asia Minor which the Venetians ravished and conquered, such as not only Dalmatia but also Crete, Smyrna, or Constantinople? In that case we would have to do equal "justice" and give Naples to Spain, Sicily to the Normans (France) etc.

The trouble with Europe in general is that every country there was once oversized and may pretend now to have "historical" claims to one country or the other. Most of Poland belonged once to Lithuania and most of Lithuania at another time to Poland; Austria belonged for a short while to Bohemia and in the end of the fifteenth century to Hungary, but later on both Hungary and Bohemia belonged to Austria. There was a Bulgarian empire and a Serbian, until the Turks, who also held Hungary, took over.

But as to Italy in particular, I am afraid that Prince Metternich, who with all his reactionary sentiments knew more about foreign politics than any present-day foreign policymaker, was right (until 1871 at least) when he said that Italy was not a country, but "merely a geographical term."

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Racial Relations Report

As a member of the racial survey committee of the Council of Social Agencies, I would like to correct several inaccuracies which I have recently read about our activities.

It has been stated that our committee (and other survey committees) was not a representative group of citizens, since we were chosen at random and allowed to choose our field of interest. It is obvious that each member of the committee, when asked to serve on one of the surveys, specified the ones in which he might be useful. I, for instance, checked religion, recreation and racial since my only usefulness on such a committee is in my knowledge of the subject. How useless it would have been to put a group of housewives on the labor-management survey, or a group of youth leaders on facilities for the aged! However, after we designated our fields of interest, these replies were carefully sifted by the Council of Social Agencies so that each committee would be representative of the community at large.

The racial survey committee was thoroughly representative, having on it Southerners, Northerners and some of several generations here in Washington. We were drawn from different religions, cultural, financial and political groups. Most of us had not known each other before and we came with open minds to study conditions and make recommendations. We worked for almost a year and gave very careful thought to the final statement which was issued. It seems unlikely that the Federation of Citizens Associations committee, which was hastily appointed and which made a hasty study, could have been equally objective and thorough.

The racial survey committee had variations of opinion about details in the report. There was complete unanimity over the basic principles, however. Our preamble states that "we have recommended drastic changes in the pattern of community life. We are not unmindful that opinion in the dominant race of the community is complacent about existing conditions. We take the view, however, that where essential principles are at stake idealism and realism are indistinguishable."

As a member of the committee I personally subscribe to those principles which are founded in our Christian religion and emphasized in our democratic tradition. I am grateful that several citizens' associations and other groups representing citizens of this city, such as the Voteless League of Women Voters, the Committee on Religious Life of the Nation's Capital, the Catholic Interracial Council, the American Jewish Congress, the Church League for Industrial Democracy, the Washington Housing Association, the Women's International League, the United Office and Professional Workers of America, the Interdenominational Ministers Alliance, the National Lawyers Guild, and many individual citizens have written to the Council of Social Agencies commending the thoroughness of the survey committee and approving the general objectives of the report. Let us hope that these groups are a better cross-section of the people of Washington than is the Federation of Citizens Associations.

GEORGIANA GLENN.
Washington.

Toehold In Friendship

By Malvina Lindsay

America In Russia

NOT A glamour sophisticate in mink and diamonds, but a young mother reading a story book to four hefty children, is the cover girl on the current issue of the magazine *Amerika* now appearing for the first time on Moscow newsstands.

Since only 50,000 copies of the magazine are circulated in the Soviet Union, this is but a small offensive against the widespread Russian belief that Americans are luxury crazed and "decadent." But it is something. For *Amerika*, heretofore distributed only to Soviet libraries, institutions and officials, but now being sold publicly for 10 rubles (about 83 cents), is eagerly read and passed around by such Russians as obtain it. It is even becoming "the thing" now in Moscow to read it.

Also, many Russians are looking forward with great interest and curiosity to the short-wave broadcasting from the United States, expected to start next month. Another small step toward Russian-American understanding is an exchange, just begun, between the two countries, of 100 pictorial maps for schoolrooms.

BUT AMERICANS should not delude themselves that there is any short cut in building friendship with the Russian people. "It may not come in our time," realistically says Miss Elizabeth Eagan, young State Department attache, just returned from 2½ years in Moscow, where recently she served as acting chief of the OIC (Office of International Information and Cultural Affairs).

Like most others familiar with the problem, Miss Eagan believes short wave broadcasting is the quickest and most effective way of reaching the Russian people with truth about America. While as yet there are few short wave sets in the Soviet—the average family has a "plate," which is tuned into the local station—yet the number of short wave listeners is destined to grow.

Curiosity, Miss Eagan found, is an outstanding Russian trait. Interest in Americans—especially the way they do things technologically—is very great in the Soviet. This should aid the information program.

Russians have been led by their press to differentiate between the American people and the "politicians," whom they believe run this Government, in somewhat the way Americans set the Russian people apart from their Communist Party officials. But while admiring Americans for their efficiency, they yet regard them as "decadent" in their interests, and especially in their materialistic concern with luxuries and trivialities.

AMERIKA'S contents do much to refute that picture. Its current issue, illustrated with striking color photography, includes articles on American farm life, heroes of American folklore (as Davy Crockett, Wild Bill Hickok, Paul Bunyan, Buffalo Bill), the forest ranger service, Naturalist James Audubon, radio forums and town meetings, rodeos, education and cultural subjects.

With increasing numbers of Russian children learning English (one foreign language is taught even in elementary schools) the audience for American reading matter and radio broadcasts should steadily grow. As Miss Eagan points out, this country has made in a short time a solid, even if small, beginning in bringing more understanding of itself to Soviet people. Great Britain and the Soviet Union have both been working longer and more vigorously to interpret themselves abroad.

Fear and suspicion of foreigners are the greatest obstacles this country meets in its efforts to establish contact with the Soviet people. There was a tendency among Russians during the war toward more camaraderie with representatives of their allies, but since the war's end, the old unwritten law that Soviet people must not mingle with foreigners is being more strictly observed.

Yet so long as the Soviet Union attempts to express its voice abroad, it must grant some reciprocity to other nations. Whatever true information about themselves Americans can get to the Russian people, helps that much to make their ways more familiar, and hence less suspect.

"A Catholic China?"

According to Mr. John B. Powell in his letter published January 12, the Rev. Paul Yu-Pin, Catholic Archbishop in China, is reported to have stated that Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek and Madame Chiang were receiving instructions in the Catholic faith.

The January 12 issue of *The Register*, a Catholic publication, has an article from Nanking which reads as follows:

"President Chiang Kai-shek is not taking instructions in the Catholic religion. Archbishop Paul Yu-pin of Nanking reports, however, that the generalissimo esteems the work of the church in China and takes a keen interest in Catholic affairs."

ALBERT DEEMER.
Washington.

Required Reading

I wish that all of the members of the Republican-dominated House Committee on Un-American Activities would "prep up" somewhat on what Americanism really is by reading rather carefully the works of Jefferson, Madison, and Sumner, the intellectual theoreticians of Americanism. Also, a rereading of the Constitution of and for the United States of America would not overly injure these great intellects ensconced upon said committee.

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Today And Tomorrow

By Walter Lippmann

Beginning With Germany

AS THE conference on Germany and Austria begins in London, it appears that there is something very hear to agreement among the European states which are the neighbors of Germany. This is most encouraging. For without their willing consent and active participation a settlement made by the three big non-European powers would have to be imposed not only on Germany but on Europe. An imposed settlement could hardly work well. Nor would it last very long.

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For this reason it is not only the right of France, Belgium, the Netherlands, Denmark, Poland and Czechoslovakia to be heard and to be listened to. It is necessary to the success of the settlement that they be treated as principals in making it. They are in the first line, and the proper role of the Big Three is to promote, improve, sponsor, and guarantee a European settlement which can be agreed upon by Europeans.

THE MEMORANDUM of the Netherlands states the German problem and indicates the principle on which a solution will have to be sought. The problem which has to be solved is that "on the one hand, the economic recovery of Germany is a prerequisite for the economic recovery of Europe and for a healthy world economy. On the other, the economic recovery of Germany implies the increase of Germany's war potential."

The western neighbors of Germany, as well as Czechoslovakia, and, if free to choose, Poland also, would certainly agree on the principle of the Netherlands memorandum,—that the best hope lies in a high degree of decentralization of Germany,—accompanied by "the deconcentration of economic power." German industry and German manpower are a war potential if they can be regimented and administered as a unit by a central government. If the central government cannot command the whole German economy, if common action depends upon obtaining the consent of the different German states and of industrial plants owned and managed locally, the war potential will be greatly reduced. Germany can, in other words, be encouraged to be prosperous provided she does not have a powerful central government.

TO INSIST on the economic unification of Germany under a Berlin government before the political decentralization has been accomplished, and the great cartels broken up, would be an irreparable mistake. All the European countries take that view, and, if we adhere to our own conviction, we must take the same view. For what the Europeans want is the kind of Germany which we have started to establish in our own zone.

To unify and reconstruct Germany and then to start decentralizing her is impossible. Germany can be decentralized only while she lacks a strong central government. Once she has a strong central government, the Germans who run that government will be able and will be determined to deny effective authority to the separate states. Once the eggs have been scrambled in Berlin, they will never again be unscrambled.

THIS, IN ESSENCE, has been the French thesis from the beginning, and it may now be said that it is the European thesis. Each of the European countries, France included, has its special claims upon Germany. They will have to be mediated and reconciled. But overriding the special claims there is now a common conception of the kind of Germany which can be brought into a European community. It is a Germany which cannot act as one powerful and dominating state in the heart of Europe, but is instead a confederation of German states, each sufficiently autonomous to form connections with its neighboring countries.

Thus instead of a firmly united Germany in the midst of a disunited Europe, the way would be opened towards a united Europe, in which the several German states, none in itself very strong, would play their equal parts.

TOO MUCH unity for Germany will not only prevent the unification of Europe; it will dangerously divide the Big Three. For a united and centralized Germany will in the course of a few years, perhaps 10, be again the leading power on the Continent. Russia, Britain, and America will bid against each other for her support, lest she throw her weight, which would be considerable and perhaps decisive, against them.

This will make certain the revival of pan-Germanism, subsidized and patronized by the great powers bidding against each other. The German democracy, a tender thing at best, would be trampled out.

IN MOSCOW, London, and in Washington there are influential men who are deeply tempted by the idea that a strong, united Germany can be made a dependable ally. This is the most dangerous of all illusions, and as long as it persists it is the chief obstacle to a sound settlement.

Historic experience and the logic of the present situation alike tell us that if and when Germany were united and reconstructed as the strongest power on the continent, her first alliance would have to be with Russia. For her first object will be to recover the lost provinces in the East. Germany will not be strong enough to reconquer them by war. But Germany may well be a sufficiently valuable ally of Russia to recover them by a diplomatic bargain—on the lines of the Ribbentrop-Molotov pact—at the expense of Poland.

AS LONG as Germany is dismembered in the East, a deal with Russia is bound to have greater attractions than any deal that the West could make with Germany. That is the reason why M. Molotov's stand against the decentralization of Germany has been so ominous. That is why a deep decentralization of Germany is the first and fundamental condition of a world, as well as of a European, settlement.

For a centralized Germany can upset, whereas a decentralized Germany will help to maintain, the balance of power.

Off The Record

By Ed Reed

"Don't you think just plain 'Help' would have been just as good?"

Washington Calling

By Marquis Childs

Rebellious Republicans

THE FIRST brush in the Senate between the solid phalanx of regular Republicans and the minority of liberal Republicans came out exactly as expected. The liberals wounded off with some stirring talk, and the regular Republicans went right on with their business as it had been first planned and laid out.

Childs

But this does not mean that the liberals within the Republican majority can be blithely ignored during the present session. They are highly articulate. They are quite indifferent to the frowns of the leadership. And they intend to make themselves heard on every possible occasion.

The test came over continuation of the Senate's special Defense Investigating Committee. The Republican Committee on Policy, under the efficient chairmanship of Senator Robert A. Taft, had decided to grant this committee an additional year of existence.

The reason for this decision was simple. It lay in the stout, determined figure of Maine's Senator Owen Brewster. If the committee was given a new lease on life, Brewster would be its chairman. That opened a vista which Brewster found irresistible. After all, hadn't one man, Harry S. Truman, moved from the chairmanship of that committee to the Presidency?

BUT THERE were also good reasons to hesitate. Brewster had been talking about an investigation of the American occupation of Germany. An investigation could upset the apple care of our policy in Europe, as responsible men such as Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg very well knew.

Moreover, a sensationalized investigation in Germany would encroach on the field of the Senate's new Armed Forces Committee. On of the reasons for the La Follette-Monroney congressional reorganization bill was to prevent such overlapping.

Finally a compromise was worked out that was intended to placate all concerned. The Defense Investigating Committee, with its promise of sensational headlines, was due to be continued and that would make Brewster happy. But in return he would have to promise to keep out of Germany and off the toes of the Armed Forces Committee.

The nature of this compromise was not, of course, announced to the Senate. But it was well known to the Republican rebels. Against that background they denounced the plan to continue the special committee.

Senator Charles W. Tobey of New Hampshire led off in his forthright New England fashion. He reviewed the objectives of the Reorganization Act, pointing out the confusion and uncertainty caused in the past by overlapping committees. The continuation of a special committee at the very start of the new session would, he argued, weaken the whole purpose of the reorganization.

"Once we start on this reverse trend," Tobey said, "we not only promote confusion, waste and inefficiency, but also provide the occasions for log-rolling and back-scratching, and deals in which great prizes of new committee chairmanships and the authorization of new staffs and great power are involved."

In other words, the direction would be backward to the old days of jobbery and personal privilege that the La Follette-Monroney bill was intended, in part at least, to cure.

TAFT DEFENDED the action of the leadership. He denied that continuation of the Defense Committee was a violation of the intention of congressional reorganization.

Then Senator Wayne Morse of Oregon took the floor. As a member of the Armed Forces Committee, he had, of course, sat in on the session at which the compromise with Brewster was agreed to. Making eight points, Morse showed pretty conclusively that there was no case for any special committee. To make his position consistent, he withdrew a request he had previously put before the Senate for a special committee to investigate Army and Navy courts-martial. Instead, Morse recommended that this investigation be carried out by members of the new Armed Forces Committee.

No one had any illusions, while the debate went on, that the position of the Republican leadership would be altered. The leaders know where they want to go. They are on the way to ultimate victory in 1948.

Nevertheless, the rebels will be heard from again and again. They may not be able to change any votes in the Senate. It is just possible, however, that they may change some votes out in the country and that is why the leadership is likely to be more and more short-tempered with these rebellious Republicans.

Basic Dilemma

By Barnet Nover

Germany And The Powers

IN THE MEMORANDUM which it has submitted to the Big Four deputies now meeting in London, the Netherlands government put its finger on the basic dilemma confronting the great powers as they begin their consideration of a German peace settlement.

NOVER

"On the one hand," says the Dutch memorandum, "the economic recovery of Germany is a prerequisite for the economic recovery of Europe and for a healthy world economy. On the other, the economic recovery of Germany implies the increase of Germany's war potential."

The problem facing the Russian, American, British and French governments, in other words, is how to permit Germany to become sufficiently strong and united as to cease being a burden without becoming so strong and united as again to become a menace.

UNDER THE BEST of circumstances it would, of course, be hard to draw the line.

As things stand now, however, to draw the line between what is necessary and what is safe, so far as Germany is concerned, is likely to prove the toughest task with which the Big Four have yet had to deal.

For that reason the coming Moscow meeting of the Council of Foreign Ministers is likely to accomplish little more than to lay the foundations for more detailed discussions of the German problem later on.

WE CAN TAKE it for granted that, much as they differ as to means, the four powers are in full agreement as on one thing, namely, that Germany must never again be allowed to run amok.

The danger of her doing so is, of course, not imminent. To be sure, the recuperative power of a nation with the population, the skills and the capacities of Germany is not to be minimized. We need only recall in this connection what happened in France after her defeat in 1871 and in Germany herself in the 15 years after Versailles to avoid any temptation to be complacent about Germany's future.

Nonetheless, the destructive consequences of the war, so far as Germany is concerned, have been such as to make it unlikely that she can in less than a decade or two at least, begin where she left off when the Third Reich went under.

THIS BREATHING SPELL gives the wartime Allies a chance to lay the foundations for a regime of permanent peace in Europe the cornerstone of which must be a denazified, demilitarized Germany incapable of again waging war.

But the fact that Germany is today helpless bears in itself the seeds of danger. The temptation may be for the individual powers to seek the achievement of temporary aims and in doing so lose sight of long-range objectives.

In our case, for instance, one of the guiding considerations behind our present German policy is the fact that the tendency in the United States is more and more to cut down the size of our military establishment and our appropriation for defense purposes. In Germany this has meant the reduction of our army of occupation to a dangerously low level and with it the transfer of administrative authority to the Germans themselves.

FOR SEVERAL REASONS there is much to be said for permitting the Germans to run their own affairs more and more. Only in that way can they become accustomed to democratic processes. But the present unsatisfactory state of the denazification program, for example, shows that the process of turning over the administration of our zone to the Germans themselves is not without its dangers.

On the other hand, our general program with respect to Germany, a program most clearly enunciated by Secretary Byrnes in his Stuttgart speech, does seek to follow the middle course.

We are anxious to foster German recovery to the point where Germany will no longer be a drag on us and will be able to stand on her own feet while at the same time preventing her from becoming too strong.

THE RUSSIANS are, no doubt, as anxious as we are that the menace of Germany be permanently curbed. They cannot forget what an aggressive Germany meant to them. However, for reasons connected with the lag in Russian recovery they are so anxious to transform Germany into an industrial milch cow for the USSR that they are willing to risk the setting up of a centralized German state and the very considerable expansion of Germany's industrial production.

In this respect their program is in opposition to the views of the other three powers. On the other hand, the French insistence on the effective separation of the Ruhr, the Rhineland and the Saar from the rest of Germany is, in part at least, in opposition to the views of Russia, Great Britain and the United States regarding the industrial rehabilitation of the Reich even though the separation of those rich regions would without question cripple Germany's war-making potentialities for good and all.

By the same token, the United States has opposed the permanent cession of all the territory placed under Polish occupation at the Potsdam Conference.

It would be little short of a miracle if, given these divergent viewpoints, the Big Four make rapid progress in the direction of a German settlement. It would be truly encouraging if in the next months they make any progress at all.

16th St. Would Be 'White Way,' Opponents of Rezoning Charge

A gay, white way with grog shops and neon lights within view of the White House was predicted for historic 16th st. nw. yesterday before the District Zoning Commission by opponents of commercial rezoning.

Elisha Hanson, representing the National Geographic and American Chemical Societies, suggested that President Truman be asked to express his views. Hanson objected to rezoning 16th street from H street to Scott circle. He said it would bring "neon lights, barber poles and liquor stores" opposite LaFayette square across from the White House.

Maj. Gen. U. S. Grant 3rd also opposed the petition, signed by 25 property owners. Grant, chairman of the National Capital Parks and Planning Commission, said he preferred to retain the residential street in its present status. He added commercialization would create a serious traffic problem.

Proponents pointed out that the street now has numerous hotels, such as the Statler, Carlton and Hay Adams House. They said many of the residential houses are ramshacle skeletons of former splendor and are now used as rooming houses.

There was a friendly atmosphere among the property owners and several of the opponents. Most of the owners agreed that commercialization of the five blocks should be restricted to prevent shops and future eyesores.

Even members of the Dupont Circle Citizens Association, of which General Grant said he is a member, agreed there would be no opposition to properly regulated commercialization provided that the buildings were not over 90 feet high.

In this they were joined by former Senator Henry F. Ashurst of Arizona, now a District resident, who said he owned the land at 930 16th st., nw.

"I don't believe it would detract from the beauty of the street," said Ashurst. "It would lead to erection of ornate buildings of unparalleled beauty to take the place of these ramshackle structures."

Ringgold Hart, representing the American Federation of Labor, said he had helped urge the petition for re-zoning. The AFL, he said, desires to erect an office building on that street.

Wilbert McInerney, representing the Motion Picture Association, said his organization was eager to erect a building so that it could move its employes here.

St. John's Protestant Episcopal Church, through James L. Houghteling, protested that commercial structures along the street would increase automobile traffic and thereby seriously impair the functioning of St. John's Church. The church is opposite the White House.

Two of the three members of the Zoning Advisory Council which investigates proposed changes favored the peition, but John Nolen, jr., in a minority dissent, declared the re-zoning petition in its present form would permit stores, theaters, window displays, electric signs, liquor stores, gasoline stations and even automobile repair shops.

President's Calling List

By the Associated Press

President Truman yesterday had the following calling list:

10:00 a. m.—Senator MacFarland (D., Ariz.).

10:15.—Representative Rivers (D., S. C.) et al.

10:30.—Senators Maybank and Johnston (D., S. C.) et al.

10:45.—Edward J. Flynn, New York member of Democratic National Committee.

11.00.—Mrs. Samuel I. Rosenman, chairman of the non-governmental committe of housing.

11:15.—Spyrus Skouras, president of Twentieth Century-Fox.

11:30.—The President's Committee on Civil Rights.

12:00 noon.—Eduardo Rodriguez Larretta, Foreign Minister of Uruguay with Ambassador Juan Carlos Blango.

12:15.—George S. Messersmith, American Ambassador to Argentina.

1:00.—Lunch.

3:00.—John J. Nangle, a friend from St. Louis.

3:30.—Budget Director James Webb.

Pravda Says Bevin 'Disavowed' Anglo-Soviet Mutual Aid Pact

Moscow, Jan. 15 (AP).—A commentator in Pravda, Communist Party organ, in one of the most outspoken declarations on British-Soviet relations since the war, flatly accused British Foreign Secretary Bevin today of repudiating the Anglo-Soviet Treaty of Alliance of 1942.

The commentator, signing merely the initials "N. N.," reminded Pravda's readers that Bevins in a speech December 22 had declared Britain "does not tie herself to anybody," asked if he had forgotten the treaty of alliance. Pravda asserted that Bevin's proposal to extend the 20-year treaty to 50 years was not meant seriously.

(The Soviet monitor in London first translated a Moscow broadcast of the article as saying Bevin had "renounced" the treaty and then changed it to "disavowed."

British Concerned

(A British Foreign Office spokesman in London quickly denied that Bevin had "disavowed" the pact in answering criticism of some British Laborites that Britain's foreign policy was too closely linked with the United States.

(The spokesman said the commentator had taken out of its context the statement that Britain "does not tie herself to anybody."

(London dispatches said the attack caused considerable concern in British government circles where it was noted that Pravda had chosen a time for its blast just when the return of Field Marshal Lord Montgomery from a visit to Moscow had raised hopes of strengthening relations with the Soviet Union. One British source said the attack could indicate Russia was preparing to demand revision of the pact and other treaties.)

Roberts' Trip Significant

While the Pravda article was an assault on Bevin and the foreign policy of the Labor government, it appeared in truth to be a definite bid for strengthening the mutual aid pact.

The hasty departure of Frank Roberts, British minister, for London on Montgomery's plane Saturday—something which had not been contemplated a few days previously—appeared to be growing more significant daily and led foreign observers to expect that Montgomry's visit will bear important fruit.

Soviet writers from time to time have accused the British Labor Government of following the foreign policy of Winston Churchill but never before of repudiating a treaty.

The commentator concluded by declaring that Bevin's words did not always correspond with what actually takes place in British foreign policy, but that one thing was "entirely obvious—Bevin is repudiating the Anglo-Soviet treaty of mutual aid."

What's Going On and Where

Victory Canteen for Servicemen, 1113 Pennsylvania ave. nw., games and refreshments, 11 a. m. to 11 p. m.

Penthouse USO, 17th and K sts. nw., bowling, 7 p. m. to 10 p. m.; dancing, 9 p. m.

Salvation Army USO, 901 Market sp. (8th st. and Pennsylvania ave. nw.), voice recordings, 6 p. m.; music and games, 8 p. m.

Tenth st. USO, 918 10th st. nw., dance, 8:30 p. m. to 11:30 p. m.

H st. USO, 1911 H st. nw., sightseeing, 1:30 p. m.; clay and shell craft classes, 7:30 p. m.; beginners' dance classes, 8 p. m.

Art Galleries and Exhibitions

Library of Congress, 1st and E. Capitol sts., open 2 to 10 p. m.

National Gallery of Art, 6th st. and Constitution ave. nw., open 2 to 10 p. m.

Smithsonian Institution, 7th st. and Independence ave. sw., 9 a. m. to 4:30 p. m.

17,000 London Dock Workers Quit, Boosting Idle to 67,000

London, Jan. 15 (U.P.).—Seventeen thousand stevedores and bargemen stampeded off the London docks today, while striking truck drivers, who touched off Britain's worst labor crisis since the general strike of 1926, again refused their own leaders' pleas to go back to work.

The estimated total on strike in London and other cities was 67,000. All except 14,000 of these have quit work since Monday, when the government ordered troops to truck essential food supplies to retail stores.

Fourteen thousand are transport workers, mainly drivers, who struck nine days ago because the haulage section of the Central Wage Board, equivalent of the American wartime War Labor Board, refused to give them a 44-hour week at the same pay as the present 48-hour week and a two-week paid vacation.

Six-Hour Meeting Held

Today, the seven-man finance and general purpose committee of the Transport and General Workers Union met with 30 members of the central strike committee for six hours.

What had been decided on this issue was not announced, but the strike committee generally was hostile to the pleas of Arthur Deakin, general secretary of the transport union, that they go back to work and let the issues be settled afterward. In a private meeting, the strike committee decided to go ahead with the stoppage until the drivers get what they want.

For the first time, troops went to Covent Garden, London's greatest produce distributing center. It has functioned at part capacity because many dealers there are private operators and not union members. They continued working today and the troops did not have to load their waiting trucks with vegetables.

Forty Ships Idled

The stevedore and bargemen's strike, affecting docks on both sides of the Thames, left an estimated 40 ships standing in the river, some of them from Canada and the United States.

More spmyathy strikes were in the offing. Fifteen thousand truck drivers in Birmingham had threatened to walk out today unless the London drivers' demand were satisfied.

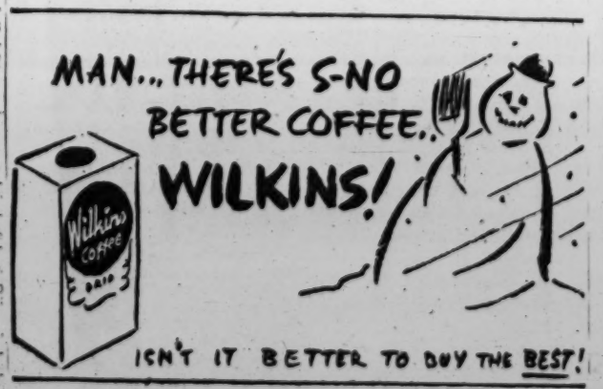
The troops were serving the purpose for which they originally were called: To see that the people of London were fed by trucking food from distribution centers to retail markets. But it was obvious that if sympathy strikes continued to mushroom, the troops could not replace all strikers and London would soon be face to face with industrial paralysis.

Sergeant at Arms Audit in House Nears Completion

By the United Press

Speaker Joseph W. Martin, jr., of Massachusetts said last night that he hoped to receive a report this week on the General Accounting Office's audit of the funds of the House sergeant at arm's office.

The GAO made the audit at the suggestion of the present sergeant at arms, Republican William Russell of Pennsylvania. Russell has informed reporters that the accounting was ordered as "just good business practice" but there have been published reports of a shortage.



New Faces in the House

2 Pennsylvania Republicans

Thirty-fifth in a Series

Carroll D. Kearns

Farrell, Pa., Jan. 15 (AP).—Carroll D. Kearns, superintendent of the Farrell schools, won Pennsylvania's Twenty-eighth District seat—in his first bid for public office—on a single campaign promise.

Kearns

That promise was to "restore the power to the people and the Government to their elected Representatives."

The 45-year-old Republican has the reputation of crowding more into a single day than the legendary one-man sheriff, postmaster and general storekeeper of Western frontier towns.

In addition to his school duties, he organized the chamber of commerce in this steel town, serving as its first president; has been president of the Mercer County Tuberculosis and Public Health Society since its founding, and serves as a director of the Pennsylvania Tuberculosis Society, the Shenango Valley Concert Association and the Shenango Valley Community Chest.

During the war he was a member of the community's war problems committee.

Kearns spent his boyhood in nearby New Castle, where he sold newspapers, then went to Chicago as a railroad telegrapher. He held numerous jobs while earning bachelor's and master's degrees from the Chicago Musical College and the University of Chicago.

For a time he was a soloist with the Chicago Opera Company. Then he entered a construction firm. He was named president of the West Side Board of Trade of Chicago when he was 24 years old, but soon had to return to Pennsylvania because of the illness of his father.

He served for more than eight years as music supervisor in Greenville, Pa., public schools and resigned this post to become head of the department of music at Slippery Rock, Pa., State Teachers College.

In the meantime, he earned bachelor's and master's degrees in science and school administration at Westminster College and the University of Pittsburgh.

When he took over superintendency of the Farrell schools in 1941, the school district was heavily in debt and was operating with an annual $120,000 deficit. He reorganized the district's financial structure and within three years it was operating in the black with much of the debt cleared.

One of his first moves was to increase teachers' salaries and set up a salary schedule that ranks as one of the best in the State.

John McDowell

Wilkinsburg, Pa., Jan. 15 (AP).—Publishing a weekly newspaper in this suburban Pittsburgh community comes naturally to John McDowell, Pennsylvania's new Republican Congressman from the Twenty-ninth District.

McDowell

McDowell, 44-year-old publisher-owner of the Wilkinsburg Gazette, was born in nearby Pitcairn, a railroad town. The family home adjoined a weekly newspaper printing plant.

"I just grew up in the business," explained McDowell. "I fed presses, swept the floors and did lots of other jobs—but I seldom got paid."

Educated at Pitcairn High School and a military academy, McDowell worked for the Pennsylvania Railroad and the Carnegie-Illinois Steel Corp., but quit both jobs to return to the newspaper field.

In 1929 he turned down a job as an editorial writer with an Ashtabula, Ohio, newspaper and took over management of the Wilkinsburg Gazette at a much smaller salary. Five years later he bought the paper.

"I was thinking of getting married at the time, and I didn't want to get too far away from my sweetheart," the tall, dark-haired publisher explained.

His sweetheart, Virginia Cratty, is now his wife. They have a 14-year-old daughter, Patricia, a freshman at Wilkinsburg High School.

McDowell laughingly refers to his wife as "my dollar-a-year lady in the front office." The paper lost four of its employes at one time during the early part of the war. Mrs. McDowell, experienced in a bank, kept the paper's financial affairs in good order.

A life-long Republican, McDowell served one term in Congress in 1939-40 but was defeated for re-election. He won this year against strong opposition by the CIO-PAC, which asserted he was antilabor.

McDowell vigorously denies the antilabor charge and says he would belong to a union if he were an hourly wage worker.

However, he frankly admits he has strong opinions on control of unions. He declared:

"I hold that unions ought to be as responsible as any other business. If they sign a contract it ought to be binding with no strikes until after the contract expires."

He said utilities and such industries as touch the lives of many people ought to be exempt from strikes. He also would outlaw jurisdictional disputes and sympathy strikes.

Peace Overtures Still Sadly Lacking In Women's Spat

The split in the National Woman's Party remained wide open yesterday with no indications of settlement.

At the Alva Belmont House, 144 B st. ne., headquarters of the party, Miss Anita Pollitzer, national chairman, again said that members of the party who met at the Mayflower Hotel last Saturday held an "illegal" convention.

She reported no peace overtures.

On the other side of the argument, the women who attended the Mayflower convention maintained their self-imposed silence. All inquiries elicited standard replies. "I can't talk about it," "Really, I have no comment," or "I don't know a thing about it," they said.

Navy to Unveil Plane Designed To Outspeed Sound

A new Navy experimental plane built to fly faster than the speed of sound will be demonstrated publicly for the first time at the Douglas aircraft plant at El Segundo, Calif., on February 5, it was announced yesterday.

Members of the press and aviation and civil leaders will be invited to the showing of the supersonic "Skystreak" which bears the official Navy tag OFD-558.

After the El Segundo showing, the plane will be moved to Muroc, Calif., for extensive flight tests.

The "Skystreak" is a jet-propelled, single-seat experimental plane powered by a thermo-jet engine. Its designers hope it will break through the "resistance wall" believed to exist at the speed of sound.

SEEN FROM E. A.

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by Herbert Feis

Adviser on International Economic Affairs to the Department of State 1931 to 1944

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MY BOYHOOD GANG . . . The Little Potatoes, We're Hard to Peel . . . never heard of juvenile delinquency, although I can remember the lady next door telling my mother "The boys in this neighborhood are full of the old Devil."

Haight

They had the mumps, chickenpox, measles and like youthful miseries. They stepped on rusty nails, acquired strawberry bruises on thighs sliding into bases and broke an occasional collarbone tackling 'em low.

Being chased by the cop on the beat wasn't a rarity, but being caught was a disgrace. The "crime" usually was confined to breaking bottles in an alley, aiming not wisely, but too well, with a snowball or fouling a roundhouse curve through a window pane.

Their "Boy's Club" had both summer and winter quarters. When school was out in June they built a shack in one of the big oak trees on a nearby lot. During the cold weather conferences were held in a conglomeration of packing boxes, featuring a bully fire in an old oil can. In both places the library consisted of "dime novels" about Deadeye Dick, Buffalo Bill, Nick Carter and a host of other pump print heroes—forbidden fruit in the family circle.

As far as I know, none of the Little Potatoes ever became president. Likewise I haven't heard of one being in jail. However, a certain spud, might have turned out to be a counterfeiter had he not been nipped in the bud.

MONEY WASN'T TOO PLENTIFUL in the neighborhood. It was an effort to raise a nickle on Friday night to see the "Gay Old Dog," punctuated by "One Minute to Change Reels."

Going to the Nats' baseball games was a different matter. There were two ways. The easy way was over-the-fence, which involved considerable risk. The hard way was to help Groundskeeper Red O'Dea swepe up the park in the morning in return for admittance to the game in the afternoon.

When the last peanut husk was in the trash bag, O'Dea would line up those who had taken part in his shell game and distribute the "passes" so we could go home to lunch and return. These pasteboards consisted of a side of a Piedmont cigarette box on which was scribbled "O. K. O'Dea."

A YOUNGSTER who, due to home committments, did not sweep one morning, was anxious to see the game and hit upon the idea of manufacturing one of the coveted O'Dea passes.

He obtained the necessary cigarette box, making sure to tear it in exact duplication. After practicing for an hour he wrote the magic words, "O.K.O'Dea."

The Little Potatoes, to a man stamped it a spittenimage of the original.

We lined up at the employees' gate, the youthful counterfeiter taking a spot in the center. O'Dea began taking up the passes. When he came to the "hot" ticket, he grabbed the boy, swung him around and dropkicked him into the middle of Georgia ave.

Thus ended the counterfeit career.

Long after the Little Potatoes sprouted into manhood, they wondered how Reds O'Dea discovered the deception.

Perhaps some of them can't even recall the incident now—but I can, if you know what I mean.

Corriden Joins Yank Coach Staff

New York, Jan. 15 (AP).—John (Red) Corriden, coach of the Chicago Cubs from 1931 to 1940 and the Brooklyn Dodgers from 1941 through 1946, will serve in the same capacity for the New York Yankees this year, President Larry McPhail announced today.

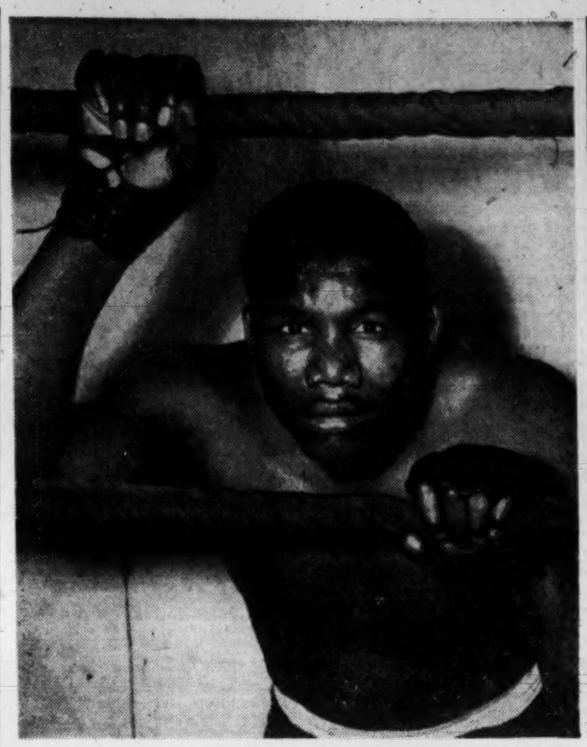
Corriden is the fourth coach named to Manager Bucky Harris' staff and joins Chuck Dressen, also recently of the Dodgers' board of strategy. The Yankees also have Frank Crosetti and John Schulte listed as coaches. Crosetti is to be a player-coach.

Race Selections

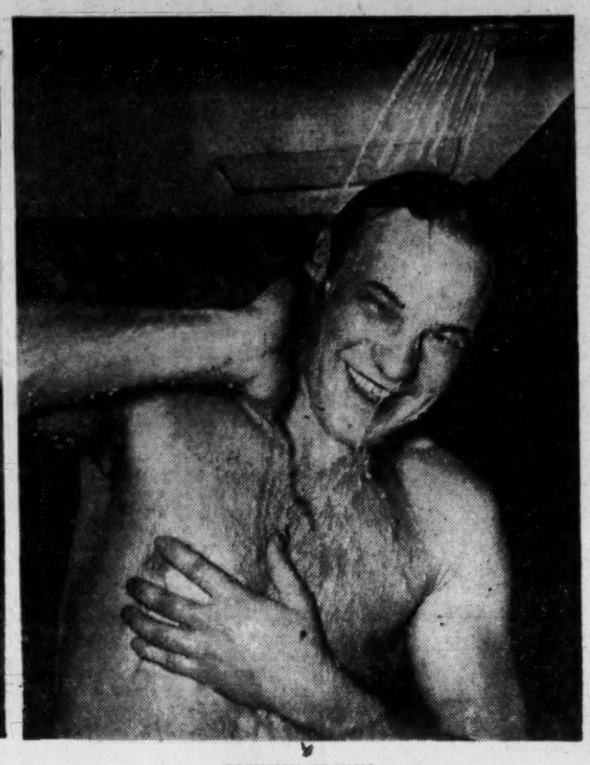
FAIR GROUNDS (Muddy)
1—Herbie, Your Time, Baron Omar.
2—Miss Merit, Desota, Hadaltme.
3—Sarcerto, Romney Rex, Wicked.
4—Waza Walla, Here Goes, Try Flying.
5—Skip Level, Hemite, Robin's Crown.
6—Double Feature, Espiritu, Marcelle B.
7—Wake Robin, Tide Over, Bay Acre.
8—Raboul, Insolate, Black Flame.
Best bet—Double Feature.
—Louisville Times (AP).

SANTA ANITA SELECTIONS
1—Mayer amity, Heelorette, Zenoda.
2—Hormone, Fortbow, Wild Kate.
3—Top Valley, Couni Esmer, Lone Chance.
4—Anecdote, The Clan, War Slew.
5—Triple Bar, Ocean Park, Willow Way.
6—Artillery, The Waffle Man, Outofthebins.
7—FIRST TO FIGHT, Starless Night, Post-Graduate.
8—Reighruseven, Ted Lewis, Tidy Peter.

TROPICAL (Fast)
1—Fendshen, Cecrops, Dolomite.
2—Battlefire, Tutelo, Wise Sun.
3—Trala Boy, Alemannia, Balheim.
4—War Page, Dandy Sandy, Umpydan.
5—On the River, Sea Wolf, Damos.
6—Westminster, Eternal Reward, Statesman.
7—Regained, Roses Are Red, Can't Catch Me.
8—Our Merrick, Pholos, Mal.
Best bet—Westminster.
—Louisville Times (AP).



JIMMY BIVINS
. . . He's Sure of a K. O. Victory



JOHNNY FLYNN
. . . So Is This Rochester Heavy

Post Staff Photo—Del Vecchio

Hialeah Opens Friday Facing Grooms' Strike

Miami, Fla., Jan. 15 (AP).—Tropical Park closes tomorrow and Hialeah takes over for 40 days Friday, faced with a threatened strike by grooms and exercise boys whose awards for leading out horses to the post and leading out winners were discontinued by the track at the request of the horse owners and trainers.

John C. Clark, Hialeah president, said the track would "definitely" open despite the threat of a strike.

Dan Chappell, general counsel of the Horsemen's Benevolent and Protective Association, and owner of Let's Dance and Buzfuz, said the owners planned to fill the role of grooms if the strike were called by the Exercise Riders and Grooms' Association of America.

Alfred Kreisler, attorney for the exercise boys and grooms, said elimination of the extra payments would materially cut the earnings of the union members.

Chappell said most exercise boys and grooms receive about $250 monthly, and sleep in quarters at the tracks.

The union claimed membership of 200 exercise boys and 450 grooms at Hialeah.

Hialeah Statement

Tropical Park, Fla., Jan. 15 (AP). The following statement was made by President John C. Clark of Hialeah Race course today:

"The decision to discontinue the payment of awards to trainers, grooms and exercise boys at Hialeah was made after consulation with, and at the request of a substantial number of horsemen stabled at Hialeah. At a subsequent meeting with representatives of the grooms and exercise boys it was freely admitted by members of their committee that they do not work for racing associations . . . It is quite evident that grooms and exercise boys are not employes of racing associations, and by our paying them awards that we are complicating matters for their employers, the owners and trainers for whom they work. We have agreed to discontinue this practice, and further negotiations for resumption of payment of awards is out of the question."

Hornbeam 'on Beam'

Miami, Jan. 15 (AP).—C. T. Chenery's Hornbeam set a new 6-furlong track record at Tropical Park today by winning the Kilwarlin Purse in 1:09 2-5.

The 7-year-old gelding rushed into an early lead and kept increasing his advantage as he clipped one fifth of a second off the mark held jointly by Tarpan, Buzfuz, Signator and Hydrant.

Ridden by R. J. Martin, Hornbeam carried 121 pounds and returned $10.30 for $2. W. W. Adams' Flag Drill beat L. D. Rosenthal's Noonday Sun by two lengths for second place.

Hyflare, a 3-year old gelding that never had won a race, captured the fourth race and paid $197 for two, biggest straight return of the meeting.

Bruins Elect Delegates

Boston, Jan. 15 (AP).—Capt. Bobby Bauer and Milt Schmidt of the Boston Bruins, have been named by their hockey mates to represent them at a conference on a plan for players pensions with President Clarence Campbell of the National Hockey League.

Browns Sign Heath

St. Louis, Jan. 15 (AP).—The St. Louis Browns announced tonight that Jeff Heath, a frequent holdout in past years, today became the first player to sign and return his 1947 contract to the club. Terms of the contract were not disclosed.

Legion Teams Seek Games

American Legion Post 158, girls' and boys' unlimited basketball teams have a gymnasium and are seeking gmes with unlimited teams. Write Gene Worley, Manassas, Va.

Thirty-five of the 70 men on the Minnesota football team are freshmen.

Only one of the six Minnesota football coaches did not attend the university.

Bivins-Flynn Scrap Heads All-Heavy Show at Uline's

By Morris Siegel
Post Reporter

Once again Johnny Flynn finds himself in the underdog's role as he meets Jimmy Bivins in the spotlight attraction of an all-heavyweight card tonight at Uline Arena, starting at 8:30.

The first time the Rochester Irishman traded punches with the high-ranking Negro contender in Cleveland last year Bivins ruled an 8-1 choice.

Last night, however, Bivins was only a slight favorite.

Flynn, who floored Bivins in their first session in the tenth round, and his voluble manager, Tom Stanley, claim Bivins was awarded a hometown decision.

Bivins, a fast-moving, hard-punching operator with definite title aspirations, brushed off Flynn's claim of getting a bum verdict in their first meeting with:

"I whipped him in Cleveland and will do it again Thursday night. This time, however, there won't be any question about it. I'll stop him before the tenth."

This failed to make an impression on Flynn who countered:

"I had Bivins on the floor the last time. Tonight I'll keep him there."

Both are dead serious about the clash. Flynn wants to erase that Cleveland defeat and use Bivins as a stepping stone toward a crack at Joe Louis. Bivins, once seriously considered as an opponent for the Brown Bomber, is anxious to put Flynn away as early as he can and regain a good portion of the prestige he has lost during recent months with defeats by Ezzard Charles and Lee Murray, two men Flynn has whipped.

Flynn will have an approximate 20-pound weight advantage. He expects to come in at 210 against 190 for Bivins.

Ticket sales picked up considerably yesterday and indications point to a crowd of 3000 and a gate in excess of $10,000 for the first fights held at Uline's since last March.

Joe Gannon, the 1944 District AAU middleweight champion who is now campaigning as a heavyweight, heads the supporting card. He's matched in a special six against Luther McMillan, a strong New York club fighter.

Other sixes bring together El Edwards, Washington, vs. Joe Haywood, New York, and Joe Cheshul, Jersey boy, against Al Spaulding.

Billy Lanham and Al Davis, local heavies, meet in the initial four-

Jim Sheckard Killed by Auto

Lancaster, Pa., Jan. 15 (AP).—Struck by an automobile, James Tilden (Jimmy) Sheckard, of the famous Chicago Cub "S" outfield, died today at the age of 68.

Jimmy, who spent 14 years in the big leagues after the turn of the century, suffered head injuries Sunday night when hit while walking along a highway to his job as attendant at a gasoline service station.

The Rev. Robert J. Pilgrim, of Lancaster, named by State Policeman C. E. Simmons as driver of the car, took Sheckard to a hospital. No charges were filed.

Sheckard, in ill health for a year, played with the National League Chicago Cubs from 1906 to 1910, roving the outfield with Jimmy Slagle and Frank Schulte in the great "S" which combined with the immortal Tinker-to-Evers-to-Chance machine. With Pitcher Mordecai Brown, they gave the Cubs world championships in 1907 and 1908.

One of the greatest leftfielders of his day, Sheckard twice led the National League in fielding, piling up a .964 average for the Brooklyn Dodgers in 1902 and .986 for Chicago in 1906.

Virginia Studying Racing Resolution

Richmond, Va., Jan. 15 (AP).—The old question of legalizing horse racing in Virginia as a source of State revenues bobbed into the legislative mill in the House of Delegates today.

Bills based on pari-mutual systems have been the subject of many a prolonged battle before the Legislature in former years. Today the subject reappeared as Richmond's Delegate James E. Gardner offered a resolution asking the Virginia advisory legislative council to study the advisability of legalizing horse racing in the Old Dominion.

Other States have obtained "large sums" through legalized horse racing, the resolution said.

Nats Purchase Tom Ferrick

Tom Ferrick, 32-year-old right-handed relief hurler, yesterday was purchased by the Nats from the St. Louis Browns for the $7500 waiver price, Nat Vice President Calvin Griffith announced.

A big fellow, Ferrick features a sinker ball as his special forte. He appeared in 34 games with the Browns last year, winning four while losing none. He had an earned-run average of 3.06. He came to the Browns last year from Cleveland on waivers. In 1945 with the Tribe his earned-run average was 2.00.

With Milo Candini, who is also scheduled for much relief work, the addition of Ferrick is expected to give Manager Ossie Bluege two capable right-handed firemen. Bluege now is looking around for a capable southpaw rescuer.

D. C. Bowlers Vie In Old Dominion

District area bowlers will compete this weekend in the eleventh Annual Old Dominion Open Handicap to be conducted over the Rosslyn Alleys. The event, with the entries allowed to roll anytime between 1 p. m. Saturday and midnight Sunday, carries a guaranteed first prize of $150 with other cash awards as well as the usual long list of merchandise.

The handicap competition is open to men and women and the entry fee is $3.50. Galt Davis is in charge at Chestnut 1333.

Navy Quint Outclasses Gettysburg College

Annapolis, Md., Jan. 15 (AP).—The Navy basketball team ran roughshod over an outclassed Gettysburg quintet today to turn in a 71-39 victory, as Rear Admiral James L. Holloway, who took over as academy superintendent earlier in the day, cheered the Middies.

Corcoran Says He'll 'Forget' Metz Incident

Richmond, Calif., Jan. 15 (AP).—Fred Corcoran, the professional golf executive who was punched in the face last week by player Dick Metz, decided today to "forgive and forget the whole business.

"The whole incident is closed so far as I am concerned," said the tournament bureau manager of the Professional Golfers Association. "It was unfortunate. The game of golf is much bigger than any individuals connected with it. My job is to arrange the tournament program and we have the biggest one yet coming up. I hold no malice toward Metz and I am taking no action against him."

After he was struck and knocked down last Friday night in Carmel with a blow that caused him to be hospitalized over night, Corcoran said he was contemplating a civil suit against Metz for "unprovoked assault."

Metz, Wichita, Kan., professional, admitting striking the blow and expressed his regrets, saying he had reacted "spontaneously" when he thought Corcoran had made an angry gesture toward him.

Although he was believed to be staying in San Francisco, Metz could not be located. He had not filed an entry today for the Richmond Open Tournament which starts tomorrow morning although he has until tomorrow to do so.

The professional golfing clan has known the two have not been on friendly terms for years but facts behind the feud have not been aired publicly by either, except in generalities.

Cody, Cardinal Heavyweight Hope

Bernie Cody, a prewar veteran of Catholic University's boxing team, will take over the heavyweight chores Saturday night when the Cardinals battle Kings Point Merchant Marine Academy at Brookland.

That news, coupled with Coach Eddie LaFond's announcement that 155-pounder Gus Gersin will be ready after a short illness, sent C. U.'s hopes soaring for its first victory of the season.

Cody had three bouts in 1943, chilling Dan Boon of the Coast Guard and scoring over Len Rodman of Maryland. He lost his first start to Hank Ferris of Western Maryland. The year before, as understudy to "Sneeze" Kyscewski, he appeared in two exhibitions against teammates and of course no decision was handed down.

Amateur Rating Risked Scheduling Pro Teams

New York, Jan. 13 (AP).—College or other amateur basketball teams which engage professional outfits, such as the touring House of David team, "seriously jeopardize" their amateur standing and should be strongly advised not to do so, Dan J. Ferris, National Amateur Athletic Union secretary said today.

Ferris said that Dr. William H. Parker, Virginia State AAU registrar, asked him for an interpretation several days ago by telephone.

"Dr. Parker told me the college team in question had played the House of David without being aware it was breaking the rule, and that he had advised other college teams of the State to break any engagements they had made with the Davids."

Tech Nips Woodward To Remain Unbeaten

Austin Lawrence's lay-up shot with two minutes left to play enabled McKinley Tech's Trainers to nose out Woodward Prep, 35-34, yesterday at the McKinley gymnasium.

Lawrence's basket came with the score reading 33-32, and put the Woodward cagers out of reach. The victory was the fifth straight for the Trainers, who are undefeated this season. The loss snapped Woodward's five game winning string, and was its fifth loss in 11 games.

The Red Devils of Woodward were slow getting started, and fell behind, 24-12, at halftime. They started to come back in the third quarter and cut the deficit to 29-20.

Then Dick Harlow, Woodward's high scorer in all previous games, began to find the range. He sent in four quick field goals, which were instrumental in further cutting the Tech margin down to 33-32 with two minutes to go. But then Lawrence supplied the crucial basket to insure the Tech victory.

McKinley	G	FT	PF	P	Woodward	G	FT	PF	P
Lawrence,f	4	2	2	10	Harlow,f	5	0	1	10
Wickers,f	4	1	0	9	Barry,f	0	0	4	0
Murray,c	0	0	1	0	Walsh,c	5	0	3	10
Facini,g	4	0	1	8	Fanturis,g	3	2	0	8
Chase,g	1	5	1	7	Martin,g	3	0	3	6
Klie,g	0	1	0	1	Sippie,g	0	0	1	0
Totals	13	9	5	35	Totals	16	2	12	34

Score at half, 24-12, McKinley. Referee—Bisch.

Wilson High Rolls Over St. Albans, 72-30

Woodrow Wilson High's Green Tigers rolled up their biggest point total of the season yesterday as they trounced St. Albans, 72—30, at Wilson.

Pat O'Neill and Al Monaco, Wilson's two sharpshooting forwards, paced the Tigers' attack with 21 and 19 points respectively, to collectively outscore the entire St. Albans team. The victory was the second in four games for Wilson.

AGATE

St. Albans	G	FT	PF	P	Wilson	G	FT	PF	P
Kinney,f	2	2	1	6	O'Neill,f	9	3	2	21
N'strum,f	2	1	2	5	Monaco,f	8	3	2	19
Foley,f	0	0	0	0	Thomas,f	4	0	3	8
D.Carter,f	0	0	2	0	Janigan,f	3	0	1	6
Kingsbury,c	4	2	5	10	Sanders,f	0	0	0	0
Faulkner,c	0	0	0	0	Smith,f	0	0	0	0
Griffen,g	1	3	4	5	Whitcomb,c	2	0	0	4
Bollinger,g	0	2	2	2	Mazor,c	0	0	0	0
Eckles,g	0	0	0	0	Maddox,c	0	0	0	0
Allison,g	1	0	2	2	Snider,g	4	1	2	9
					R.Carter,g	0	0	0	0
Totals	10	10	18	30	Hanc,g	0	1	5	1
					Kruithoff,g	0	0	0	0
					Schenck,g	2	0	2	4
					Totals	32	8	16	72

Score at half, 34-15, Wilson. Referee—Latona.

Gonzaga Overwhelms Anacostia, 35-20

Hitting the basket for 10 points, Johnnie O'Keefe led the Gonzaga Eagles to their first win of the season as they scalped Anacostia's Indians, 35-20, yesterday at Gonzaga.

The winners r: up a 10—0 lead early in the first period and held an 18-14 margin at intermission. Anacostia was held to lone field goal in the third period and could only make four free throws in the final frame.

Anacostia	G	FT	PF	P	Gonzaga	G	FT	PF	P
Booker,f	1	0	1	2	DeChard,f	1	0	0	2
Cranford,f	0	1	0	1	J.H'berger,f	3	0	1	6
Anderson,f	0	0	0	0	Dibatista,f	0	0	2	0
Schroeder,c	1	1	0	3	W.H'berger,f	3	0	0	6
Koontz,c	0	0	0	0	Nolan,f	0	0	0	0
Silvers,g	3	1	4	7	Varvare,f	0	0	0	0
Phesant,g	0	1	0	1	Atkinson,f	0	0	0	0
Wolfe,g	0	1	0	1	Perry,f	1	1	3	3
Lear,g	2	0	0	4	O'Keefe,c	4	2	0	10
Mitchell,g	0	1	0	1	D.Hogan,c	0	0	1	0
					Griffin,g	3	1	2	7
Totals	7	6	10	20	Devrau,g	0	0	2	0
					Spicer,g	3	1	0	7
					Aumlin,g	0	0	0	0
					Hogan,g	0	0	1	0
					Ilmore,g	0	0	1	0
					mith,g	0	0	0	0
					rumieve,g	0	0	0	0
					Conlin,g	0	0	0	0
					Totals	15	5	11	35

Score at half, 18-14, Gonzaga. Referee—Keppie.

Coolidge Swamps Episcopal, 38-15

A well-organized Calvin Coolidge quintet humbled the Episcopal High School five of Alexandria, 38-15, yesterday afternoon on the winners' court. The Virginia team was able to garner only one point in the first period, a foul shot by Guard Bill Dower.

The Colts used second and third strings most of the game with the regulars playing in the first and part of the final periods only. Dick Sturges of Coolidge was high man for the day with 10 points.

Episcopal	G	FT	PF	P	Coolidge	G	FT	PF	P
Schaet,f	2	1	0	5	Rohr,f	1	1	0	3
Martni,f	1	0	3	2	King,f	4	0	2	8
Carter,f	2	0	1	4	Taylor,f	0	0	0	0
Williams,f	0	0	0	0	Malkin,f	0	0	1	0
Gamble,c	1	1	1	3	Moulden,f	0	0	0	0
Burnette,c	0	0	0	0	Burman,f	0	1	0	1
Dower,g	0	1	2	1	Sturges,f	5	0	0	10
Welch,g	0	0	0	0	Mitchell,f	0	1	0	1
Kiefer,g	0	0	2	0	K'necht,c	0	4	2	4
Crosland,g	0	0	0	0	Witzel,c	2	0	0	4
					Boyle,g	1	1	0	3
Totals	6	3	9	15	Hughes,g	1	1	1	3
					Roney,g	0	0	1	2
					Totals	15	8	7	38

Score at half, 23-4, Coolidge. Referee—Heft.

Central Stops Devitt Rally, Wins, 28-22

Central's high powered Vikings were given a scare by Devitt Prep's Destroyers, but came back in time to gain a 28-22 victory yesterday at Central.

The Central first stringers backed up a 17-7 lead in the first half, and then Viking Coach Gabe Ferazzi inserted his reserves. Devitt launched its comeback in the third stanza, and by the time six minutes in the last quarter had elapsed, had reduced the gap to 24-22. The Viking regulars were then hurriedly reinserted, just in time to preserve victory, Central's fourth in five games this season.

Central	G	FT	PF	P	Devitt	G	FT	PF	P
Koustenis,f	1	0	2	2	Keller,f	1	2	1	4
Dunker,f	0	0	0	0	Brown,f	0	3	0	3
Spensler,f	0	0	1	0	Finn,f	0	1	2	1
Berman,f	0	0	1	0	Daley,f	3	0	3	6
Manos,f	4	4	1	12	Cryer,c	1	1	3	3
Cramer,f	3	0	1	6	Maddox,g	0	0	0	0
Covey,c	1	0	4	2	Fasex,g	2	1	1	5
Singer,c	0	0	1	0	Rhodes,g	0	0	1	0
Ruggieri,c	2	0	1	4					
Johnson,g	1	0	1	2	Tota's	7	8	11	22
Shirey,g	0	0	0	0					
Totals	12	4	13	28					

Score at half, 17-7, Central. Referee—White.

St. John's Swimmers Meet Staunton Tomorro

St. John's opens it 1947 swimming campaign tomorrow by taking the water at 4 p. m. against Staunton Military Academy at the Southeast Boys' Club pool, 17th and Massachusetts ave., se.

Remaining schedule:
January 22, Central at Central; 27, Mt. St. Joseph's at Baltimore; 29, City College High at Baltimore.
February 3, Baltimore Poly at Baltimore; 15, Randolph-Macon at Front Royal, Virginia; 17, Mt. St. Joseph's at Southeast Boys Club; 19, Central at Central.
March 1, Staunton at Staunton; 8, Eastern State Interscholastics at Trenton, N. J.; 15, LaSalle College Interscholastics at Philadelphia.

Correction

The Bell Vocational School vs. National Training School basketball game played Tuesday was won by N. T. S., 26-21, instead of by Bell, as previously reported.

MacPhail, Co. Still Talking With Trippi

New York, Jan. 15 (AP).—What progress, if any, the New York Yankees are making in their bid to land Charley Trippi for their football and baseball clubs will not be disclosed before 10 a. m. tomorrow, Larry MacPhail, Yankee baseball president, announced today.

MacPhail's announcement came as the All-America grid star from the University of Georgia remained closeted with officials of the Yankee organization, which operates an American League baseball club and a professional football team in the All-America conference.

After telling newsmen they could expect nothing official today, MacPhail returned to the conference room where negotiations continued. The Yankee chieftain said that if they failed to reach an agreement with Trippi, the meeting probably would be adjourned until 10 a. m. tomorrow.

Football Offer OK

It was learned that Trippi was satisfied with the offer of the football Yankees but was holding out for a better deal on the baseball end of his talents.

At any rate, he declared, there would be no announcement from his organization before the appointed hour.

It was presumed, however, that the Georgia ace would make his own announcement in case he turned down the offer of the Yankees, who want him for both their football and baseball clubs.

Previous Offer

previously that they were willing

The Yankees had made known to offer the Pittson, Pa., pigskin ace a 4-year contract at $15,000 a year to play with the football team plus an undisclosed sum for signing with the baseball forces.

Trippi, himself, had disclosed other offers from the Boston Red Sox, Chicago Cardinals of the National Football League, and from the Atlanta Crackers of the Southern Association.

Although his baseball performances have been overshadowed by his work on the gridiron, Trippi is rated a fine diamond prospect. He hit .475 for Georgia last season and belted 11 homers. He played shortstop in 1946 but his normal position is in the outfield.

Hurth Named S. A. President

Birmingham, Ala., Jan. 15 (AP).—Personable Charley Hurth, New Orleans Pelican general manager with 11 years experience in organized baseball, was named today president of the Southern Baseball Association.

Hurth, 41, and a native of Portsmouth, Ohio, announced immediately he "will make every effort to follow the successful policies of Bill Evans." Evans resigned recently to become vice president of the Detroit Tigers.

Hurth said later the contract called for the same base pay received by Evans, plus a "modified bonus arrangement." Evans was reported to have received a base salary of $10,000 last year and a bonus of $11,000 to $12,000 based on Southern attendance of approximately 1,900,000.

The new league president said he planned to move Southern headquarters from Memphis to New Orleans immediately if office space can be obtained in the Louisana city.

Bogus Grid Tickets Jail Two Brothers

Columbia, S. C., Jan. 15 (AP).—Irving A. Rosner, 31 of Detroit, and his brother, Milton L. Rosner, 30, of New Haven, were each sentenced to one year in prison and a $200 fine here today on charges of selling counterfeit tickets to the Clemson-South Carolina football game last fall.

The brothers, both formerly connected with professional sports, entered pleas of guilty to specific charges of obtaining goods under false pretenses. Police reported 3000 bogus tickets to the game were found in possession of the Rosners when they were arrested here.

Maryland Host Feb. 28 To Boxing Tourney

University of Maryland athletic officials today set February 28 and March 1 as the dates of the Southern Conference boxing tournament at Ritchie Coliseum here. Only four schools in the loop sponsor boxing teams,—North Carolina, South Carolina, Clemson and Maryland.

Riflemen to Dine Press, Radio Today at Raleigh

Washington sportscasters and sportswriters will engage in an informal shooting match this afternoon at the National Rifle Association's range. The match will follow a luncheon, sponsored by the NRA's public relations staff, for the press and radio men at 12:30 p. m. in the Queen Elizabeth Room of the Raleigh Hotel.

What's on Today:

BASKETBALL
Maryland at Washington and Lee.
Capitals at Boston.
George Washington at Duke.
Maryland Park at Charlotte Hall, 7:30 p. m.
Blair at Bethesda-Chevy Chase, 8 p. m.

BOXING
Uline's—Bivins vs. Flynn, 8:30 p. m.

Virginia Roundup

'Specs' Garbee to Manage Allentown Club

LYNCHBURG, VA.—Theodore B. (Specs) Garbee, who pitched for the Lynchburg Cardinals of the Piedmont League in 1943, and last year managed Johnson City, Tenn., of the Appalachian League, has been named manager of the Allentown, Pa., club of the Interstate League.

He succeeds Ollie Vanek, who has been assigned to another post in the St. Louis Cardinals' farm system.

Garbee, a popular player with fans in the Piedmont circuit, started his baseball career on the sandlots of Lynchburg and later became affiliated with the Lynchburg Senators, a St. Louis farm club. When the Cardinals transferred their franchise to the Piedmont League in 1943, Garbee continued as a pitcher and won 17 games before entering the service.

WINCHESTER, VA.—Bill Bowen rolled games of 76, 85 and 82 for a three game total of 243, enough to take down the first prize of $30 in the weekly Odd Pin Tournament here. Troy Rea was second and Kenneth Lineburg and Jack Larrick, third and fourth respectively.

RICHMOND, VA.—Virginia Amateur Athletic Union officials have asked Dan J. Ferris, National AAU secretary, for an interpretation of AAU regulations governing the status of amateur teams which compete with professionals.

The request was made by Dr. William H. Parker, State AAU registrar, to clarify a situation involving independent amateur and collegiate basketball teams of the State as a result of Parker's decision that amateur status is lost when an amateur team engages a professional team.

RICHMOND, VA.—The eighth annual Virginia State Track and Field Meet will be held at Carey Field, Williamsburg.

This was announced by John T. Core, chairman of the State AAU Track and Field Committee, who said the invitation was extended by R. N. (Rube) McCray, director of athletics of the College of William and Mary, in behalf of the college.

Core said the meet will follow the Southern Conference and Virginia School League, Class A events and that both senior and junior championships will be decided at the Williamsburg meet. It will be the first time a junior division has been included in the State meet.

High School Lottery Halted

KEENE, N. H., Jan. 15 (AP).—A $2000-a-week sports lottery involving high school students came to light today with the conviction of three men in Municipal Court. They were fined from $50 to $100 and costs.

Police Chief Joseph L. Regan said about 4000 tickets were sold weekly to students at high schools in Keene, Claremont, Bellows Falls, Vt., and Springfield, Vt., at 50 cents each.

The lottery, he said, was based on scoring by the school basketball teams. Prizes were listed at $100, $60, $35, $20, $15 and $10.

'Fix' Fines Sought

ST. PAUL, Jan., 15 (AP).—An antibribery bill designed to protect both amateur and professional sports from the "fixer' was introduced in the Minnesota Legislature today.

The bill, sponsored by Representative George (Doc) Matchan, former University of Minnesota football player, who represents the Thirty-sixth District in Minneapolis, calls for maximum penalties of 10 years imprisonment and $10,000 fine with a minimum of one year imprisonment.

Matchan's bill is patterned after the New York law, under which Alvin Paris, Broadway figure, was prosecuted for attempting to bribe members of the New York Giants football team.

Bribe Outlaw Asked

HARTFORD, Conn., Jan. 15 (AP).—A bill providing stiff penalties for offering bribes to participants or officials of athletic contests was introduced today in the Connecticut State Senate.

Offered by Senator Nicholas J. Palladino (R.), of Bridgeport, the measure called for a maximum fine of $5000 or five years imprisonment or both for any bribe offer made to a contestant or an official in an attempt "to influence his action."

Brodt, McGriff On Turner Card

Howie Brodt, Utica, N. Y., fighter makes his 1947 debut at Turner's Arena in a 10-rounder against Jimmy McGriff, District welterweight, next Monday night.

Bonus Rule For Baseball Step Nearer

Cincinnati, Jan. 15 (AP).—Baseball's bonus rule moved a step nearer enactment today as Commissioner A. B. Chandler's advisory council reached agreement on the measure and sent it to the minor leagues for approval.

The council, meeting in quarterly session, also cleaned up other unfinished business in preparation for the joint meeting of the American and National League in New York February 1.

It announced appointment of a committee to meet with Clint Evans, president of the National Collegiate Coaches' Association, and also made recommendations on postseason barnstorming.

Effective in 30 Days

Chandler told newsmen that upon approval of the National Association of Professional Baseball Clubs (minor leagues), he would notify major and minor leagues that the bonus regulation had been adopted. The rule becomes effective, he said, 30 days after the date of his notice to the leagues.

The advisory council made only slight changes in the bonus provision which earlier had received the affirmative nod from each of the major leagues at separate meetings.

The bonus plan provides that any free agent (a player not under contract), who signs a player's contract with a major or minor league club in consideration of a bonus or promise of a bonus, shall be classified as a bonus player throughout the remainder of his baseball career.

"Hands-Off" Policy Praised

In case of violation, the bonus rule provides that the player shall be made a free agent; the violating club and all clubs affiliated with it may not contract with such player for three years and the violating club shall be fined $2000 if a major league organization, or $1000 if a minor league club. It also provides a $500 fine against the club officer who participates in such a violation.

Bennings

Tropical Park.

Deal Folks:

The TRA bulletin just arrived. Here's some excerpts: There has been quite a rivalry between Tennessee and Kentucky as to the merits of the blue grass in the two States. While Tennessee has a long way to go to regain the "glory of the past," when it was the cradle of the American thoroughbred, it can and does boast the development of a distinct breed in the Tennessee Walking Horse, the fame and breeding of which has spread the country over. A prominent Louisville businessman recently said: "There must be something in Tennessee blue grass that makes a horse want to walk instead of run"—to which Tennessee's commissioner of agriculture retorted: "There is also something in Tennessee blue grass which makes our horses walk faster than some Kentucky horses can run." C. V. Whitney's gray stallion, Mahmoud, leading sire of 1946, is generally regarded as an English horse, which, of course, he is—and an English Derby winner at that. However, it's interesting to note that he traces back to a mare named Betsy Malone, foaled in Sumner County, Tennessee, through the mare Charmer by imported Glencoe. We may one day be reading of an English stakes winner sired by "X." Thus did the English Jockey Club decide to register some foals bred in Germany from mares stolen by the Germans from Prince Aly Kahn's French stud farm. The mares were identified and reclaimed by the owner but there was no record of the stallion to which they had been bred. These fatherless thoroughbreds will be eligible to race this season.

BILL.

1—Tinta, Cecrops, Onecbill.
2—Stell, Ring Curtain, Wise Sun.
3—Balheim, Sweet Pegotty, Rightwing.
4—Umpydan, Suzerain, War Page.
5—Speeding Home, St. Jock, Bet Me,
6—Westminster, Statesman, Cat Bridge.
7—Charles City, Bullhead, Roses Are Red.
8—Offenback, Mal, The Wing.
Best bet—Balheim.

Fair Grounds

1—¾: $1100; 4-year-olds up; claiming.
St. Lucre 102 | Sir Chicle 116
Herbie 112 | Dick Manners 111
Siganar 114 | Susan Fleet 109
Your Time 118 | Cirous, King 111
Ridge Gate 104 | Flying Cargo 102
Baron Omar 114

2—¾: $1100; 4-year-olds up; claiming.
Miss Pitty 99 | Yvonnes Lady 102
Lernerette 102 | Desota 114
Kerrygator 111 | Hadatime 114
Framy 107 | Busy Black 104
Bingo Mama 104 | Charnock 114
Miss Merit 104

3—¾: $1100; 4-year-olds up; claiming.
Romney Rex 111 | Pres 109
Wicked 111 | Dick Nalshapur 113
Carlasue 104 | Sarcerto 117
Ballyrag 118 | Marie Olympia 115
Dodge City 111 | Polar Eve 108
Friend Bill 115

4—¾: $1100; 4-year-olds up; claiming.
Wans Walls 110 | Lady Duane 108
Uncle Peter 116 | Hoodoo Lady 115
Here Goes 122 | Miola 116
Big Punch 116 | Biddy Barton 111
Deauville King 113 | Try Flying 117
Midby 111

5—¾: $1100; 4-year-olds up; claiming.
Hy Trite 111 | Hemite 117
Skip Level 106 | Barsand Stars 111
Narialet 106 | Club Car 116
Mystic Miss 106 | Robins Crown 115
Tasseled Girl 112 | Princess Fort 104

6—¾: $2000; 4-year-olds up; allowances.
Rodman Keenon 122 | Double Feature 120
Espiritu 114 | Many Lands 110
Final Glory 116 | Geneva Lois 110
Marcelle B. 104

7—1 1/16: $1300; 4-year-olds up; claiming.
Woodvale Queen 112 | Swell Kid 118
Tide Over 117 | Snow Bella 108
Good Message 114 | Bay Acre 117
Wake Robin 122

8—1-70; $1100; 4-year-olds up; claiming.
Silver Ace 114 | Flash Cave 109
Raboul 114 | Sunny Sister 106
Black Flame 114 | Martlet 109
Valdina Rumpus 104 | Leorey 114
Insolate 109

1—¾: $1100; 4-year-olds up; claiming.
Gabe, 111 (Shufelt) 4.00 3.20 2.40
Charles Hatton, 109 (West) 3.40 4.80
Dr. Bones, 116 (Camp) 2.60
Fish Creek, Jolly Greenock, Play Along, Safe Bid, Old Folks, Pollenator.

2—¾: $1100; 4-year-olds up; claiming.
Tomochichi, 113 (Payne) 25.80 12.00 5.80
Good Huntinz, 118 (Taylor) 12.00 7.20
Jewellene, 118 (Baluja) 4.20
Early Delivery, Sky Silver, Dixie's First, Random Breeze, Kiel's Best, Sweep Flag, Snow Go also ran. Time, 1:26 2-5.

DAILY DOUBLE PAID $81.60.

3—¾: $1100; 4-year-olds up; claiming.
*Northbound, 113 (Phillips) 49.00 13.40 6.60
Miss Evidence, 104 (Lullo) 8.20 2.80
Bolo Prince, 118 (Taylor) 3.60
Country Miss, Border Voluble, Fiyona, *Odd Pair, Dicky, Major V., Gallant VI, Darby Deirdre also ran. Time, 1:25⅘.
*Field.

4—¾: $1500; 3-year-olds; allowances.
Lower Egypt, 119 (Moon) 7.60 5.80 4.60
Cadet Tom, 114 (Wallace) 5.40 15.20
Myrixon, 119 (Seonas) 7.00
Flying Miss, Bundle Boy, Peg, Tulane Cheer also ran. Time, 1:25.

5—1 1/16: $1800; 4-year-olds up; allowances.
Angle Bar, 111 (West) 8.40 4.40 3.20
Sky Wolf, 118 (Camp) 9.40 3.60
Jacolitos, 113 (Lullo) 3.80
Captain Bono, Four Tens also ran. Time, 2:02⅘.

6—¾: $5000; 3-year-olds up; handicap.
Republican, 114 (Keese) 14.00 5.20 3.20
Whitehack, 111 (Wallace) 5.40 3.60
Uncle Mac, 118 (Combest) 3.00
Shako, Regal Maid, Dick Stickney, Camp's First also ran. Time, 1:23⅘.

7—1 1/16: $1400; 4-year-olds up; allowances.
Pilateer, 111 (Spencer) 16.00 8.80 4.00
Macwill, 113 (Shufelt) 13.00 6.60
Swift Action, 115 (West) 2.80
Real Sweet, Hemhop, Huguette, Wary Mary also ran. Time, 2:05⅘.

8—1 1/16: $1100; 4-year-olds up; claiming.
Telescope, 118 (Hooper) 4.40 4.40 3.00
Dick Nalshapur, 113 (Skoronski) 28.60 10.40
Blue Snow, 104 (Camp) 7.00
Katlen, Peacemaker, More Stings, Gray Dottie, *One More, Icango, Carolina Bell, *Gentle Savage, *My Reward also ran. Time, 2:08.
*Field.

Santa Anita

1—¾: $3000; 2-year-old maidens.
Wheel Home 115 | †Monogamy 115
Tomies Pride 115 | Best Call 115
Gold Sylvania 118 | †Watch Justice 115
Zenoda 115 | †Nan 115
Tango Winner 115 | Heelorette 115
Pulchritude 115 | †Say Goodbye 115
Toplift 115 | Double Regret 115
Hi Class 115 | †Sneed's Folly 115
†Good Defense 115 | Golden Mite 115
†L. B. Mayer entry.
‡Luke and Sneed entry.
§Conejo Ranch entry.

2—¾: $3000; 3-year-olds; allowances.
Sables 107 | Fire Glow 113
Butter Wafer 111 | Peribow 116
Ocean Play 113 | The Hound 116
Hormone 116 | Sweet Dough 112
Toppum 111 | Wild Kate 110
Countess Helen 111

3—¾: $3000; 4-year-olds up; claiming.
Sally Maedie 113 | Gold Power 107
Rollaway 112 | Miss Jojo 109
Step Plank 103 | Angel Wood 113
War Map 118 | Honey Harar 107
Lone Change 107 | Sally's Lady 107
Count Esmer 114 | Horison 109
Top Valley 114 | Thomasa 107
National Park 114 | Deckhand 118

4—¾: $3000; 3-year-olds; allowances.
Jade C. 107 | Wild Locks 107
Anecdote 116 | Mooning 111
The Clan 120 | Dower Rights 111
Family Hour 107 | War Blow 111
Madame Fury 111 | Flyash 116
Indian Idol 116

5—⅞: $3000; 4-year-olds up; claiming.
Aprilla 113 | Willow War 120
En Famille 111 | Triple Bar 113
Old Dad 118 | Valiant Prince 109
Binnacle Bob 118 | Ocean Park 118
Great Moment 111 | Betty Miss 113
High Carbon 111 | Zebee Jay 113

6—⅞: $3500; 4-year-olds up; allowances.
Black Fox 110 | Dinner Guest 112
Good Excuse 118 | Anxious Lad 114
Applejack Jake 120 | New Dough 114
War Archive 109 | Cordiner 110
Beyond Reach 120 | Joe Peacock 110
Copper Jade 112 | The Wiffle Man 120
Outotheblue 118 | Eagle Hawk 117
Artillery 120

7—⅞: $4500; 4-year-olds up; allowances.
Guam 111 | †Menu 109
†Phar Rong 111 | Post Graduate 111
Starless Night 112 | Comanche Peak 117
Kenty Side 111 | Reaping Glory 111
†C. H. Jones and Sons entry.

8—1 1/16: $3500; 4-year-olds up; allowances.
Swift Toes 112 | Brokers Call 112
Market Boy 107 | Riverworth 112
Thee 116 | Cabbie Boy 109
Ted Lewis 112 | Topper 104
Tidy Peter 112 | Valdina Cloud 112
Reighnoven 113 | Pamplas 107

Tropical Park Charts

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 15, 1947—BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.
WEATHER CLEAR. TRACK FAST.

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $2000; claiming. For 4-year-olds up. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 1:33. Off at 1:35. Winner, h. b. m. (7) by Roman Soldier—Buffoonery by Mad Hatter. Owner, Mrs. P. Bieber. Trainer, P. Bieber. Value, $1400, $300, $200, $100. Time, 1:10⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
LADY ROMERY	(Atkinson)	116	9	1	2¹	1½	1²	1²	$2.95	
BALAAM	(Barber)	110	12	2	1½	2²	2²	2¹	101.45	
TRUE NOTE	(Reynolds)	114	3	7	4½	5³	3¹	3½	20.60	
RAGGED RASCAL	(DeMar)	112	1	3	6½	4½	4¹	4²	3.45	
NEW FLAME	(McPhee)	111	8	10	9½	10¹	7½	5½	39.30	
BOY ANGLER	(Parisen)	119	5	11	11¹⁰	8¹	8½	6¹	1.50	
EL OSUNA	(Polk)	119	2	6	5¹	7¹	6½	7½	12.65	
BARBARA'S GIRL	(Sneller)	114	7	5	7½	3½	5½	8hd	13.20	
ABOGADA	(Hettinger)	112	4	9	10³	9¹	9¹	9½	144.40	
GRAND TOY	(Layton)	116	6	4	3½	6½	10²	10¹	24.85	
RUSY EDITH A.	(Keane)	114	11	8	8¹	11²	11²	11²	32.20	
APPAS TAPPAS	(Anyon)	116	10	12	12	12	12	12	133.50	

LADY ROMERY, $7.90, $4.20, $3.20; BALAAM, $59.60, $29.20; TRUE NOTE, $10.90.

LADY ROMERY broke alertly, was eased back off early pace, assumed command in stretch and drew away. BALAAM, well up all the way, had no mishap. TRUE NOTE finished very fast. RAGGED RASCAL closed gamely. BOY ANGLER, away slowly, ran a very bad race.

SECOND RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $2000; claiming. For 3-year-olds. Start good. Won easily; place same. Went to post at 2:03. Off at 2:04. Winner, b. c. (3) by Great War—Ingalill by Manna. Owner, W. J. Susini. Trainer, same. Value, $1400, $200, $200, $100. Time, 1:46.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
REBUKE	(Sullivan)	116	2	9	8¹	3½	1½	1²	1¹	$2.20
TOWN BETTY	(Delara)	111	3	5	3½	1²	2²	2²	2¹	3.55
RENO	(McPhee)	105	7	6	6½	4hd	3½	3½	3hd	4.20
BARI	(Rogers)	112	1	1	7¹	9¹	4½	4³	4¹	9.40
GIFTED MISS	(Mora)	107	11	4	2½	5½	5²	5¹	5½	15.50
OVER THE HILL	(Basile)	116	5	10	11²	7²	6½	6²	6¹	6.10
CHIPSY	(Hettinger)	115	9	3	4½	6hd	8¹	8½	7½	54.10
BEACH SUN	(Sneller)	105	6	12	10¹	8½	7½	7½	8½	53.80
APPETIZER	(Caffarella)	107	10	11	12	11²	11²	9²	9²	54.10
SUN YOLO	(Prevost)	105	4	7	9²	10²	10³	10³	10²	53.15
WHEEL PLAYER	(Buxton)	113	8	2	1hd	2½	9½	11²	11½	12.65
LUCKY RUBY	(Woodhouse)	105	12	8	5¹	12	12	12	12	89.60

REBUKE, $6.40, $3.50, $2.70; TOWN BETTY, $4.40, $3.10; RENO, $3.50.

REBUKE much the best. He was sent up with a rush on outside, got to front on turn and drew away easily. TOWN BETTY took lead at far turn, tired, but was next best. RENO came from far back. BARI came from far back.

Daily Double, LADY ROMERY and REBUKE, Paid $26.30

THIRD RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $2000; claiming. For 4-year-olds up. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 2:33. Off at 2:35½. Winner, ch. g. (4) by Equestrian—Bold Step by Bold Venture. Owner, I. Gushen. Trainer, H. W. Fisher. Value, $1400, $300, $200, $100. Time, 1:46.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
WATCH WORD	(Prevost)	110	7	6	9½	6hd	4¹	2¹½	1ns	$34.30
FRENCH LURE	(Sneller)	105	4	1	2½	1½	1½	1hd	2¹½	6.25
LADY ECCLESTON	(Errico)	104	3	8	1¹	4½	5³	5³	3½	31.55
SANGABI	(Mullins)	115	9	11	4½	3¹½	3¹½	3½	4½	7.00
CAERIGHT	(Bernhardt)	115	5	4	3½	2²	2¹	4½	5½	13.10
FOSSIE	(J. D. Jessop)	113	8	5	8½	9½	9½	8½	6½	3.00
MISS WINKS	(DeYoung)	104	2	2	5¹	5¹	6¹	6¹	7¹	15.00
QUIET SHOT	(Eye)	115	11	9	10³	8¹	7½	7½	8½	1.60
VALUE MARK	(Buxton)	113	6	3	7½	7¹½	8½	9¹	9½	20.05
THORMOND	(Humphreys)	109	1	7	6¹	10³	10¹	10²	10³	47.00
OUTSIDER	(Pannell)	110	10	10	11	11	11	11	11	40.10

WATCH WORD, $70.60, $27.60, $16.50; FRENCH LURE, $7.70, $5.50; LADY ECCLESTON, $13.20.

WATCH WORD, showing marked improvement, got through on inside around turn, closed gamely and won in last stride. FRENCH LURE was sent to front early, went a little wide in stretch which cost him the race. LADY ECCLESTON ran good race. SANGABI went wide entering home lane.

FOURTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $2000. For 3-year-olds. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 3:03. Off at 3:04. Winner, b. g. (3) by Hypnotist II—Flarette by Gallant Fox. Owner, Belair Stud. Trainer, B. Sweeney. Value, $1400. Time, 1:45⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
HYFLARE	(N. Combest)	112	4	3	1hd	2½	2½	1½	1½	$97.50
BALSAMAR	(McPhee)	112	2	1	5¹	3½	3¹	2hd	2½	15.00
ANY HOW	(Padgett)	117	6	5	2hd	1hd	1hd	3½	3¹	44.05
GAY GUNNER	(Hanes)	115	7	6	3²	4¹	5¹	4¹	4½	2.40
CHALLARKER	(Atkinson)	112	5	7	6¹	5¹	4½	5²	5³	1.55
ALCHOIS	(Woodhouse)	115	3	1	9½	8½	6¹	6¹	6¹	6.30
WHITE FIELD	(Donoso)	117	8	10	10	10	10	8½	7²	5.50
SPEED PLAY	(South)	117	9	8	8½	9hd	9¹	9²	8¹²	20.95
HIGH KICK	(Lo Turco)	117	1	3	4½	6¹	7½	9²	9²	34.65
COUNT ROYAL	(DeMar)	112	10	9	7½	7½	8½	10	10	23.15

HYFLARE, $197.00, $84.60, $27.60; BALSAMAR, $16.90, $8.30; ANY HOW, $14.70.

HYFLARE, showing a high turn of speed, assumed lead early, saved ground and held on gamely. BALSAMAR finished with a rush. ANY HOW had good speed. GAY GUNNER ran good race.

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $2500; the Chatham. For 4-year-olds up in class E. Start good. Won easily; place same. Went to post at 3:34. Off at 3:34½. Winner, ch. g. (6) by Trace Call—Hinabelle by Rhinock. Owner, Brosnan and Halley. Trainer, J. J. Halley. Value, $1700, $500, $200, $100. Time, 1:10.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
DON MILLER	(Errico)	116	1	4	1¹	1¹	1¹	1¹	1¹	$13.60
SONG O' WAR	(South)	121	7	6	4¹½	3½	2½	2¹½	2²	14.25
HAY-JAY	(N. Combest)	122	4	5	5hd	5¹½	4hd	3¹	3¹	8.95
TEDIOUS MISS	(Crowther)	112	2	7	8	6¹	5¹½	4½	4¹½	10.35
BURNING TWIG	(DeMar)	116	3	3	2½	2½	3hd	5hd	5hd	9.40
RESPIRE	(Sneller)	119	8	2	3¹	4¹	6¹	6¹	6¹	.80
LEGISLATOR	(Watson)	121	6	5	7hd	7²	7	7	7	4.30
PARK FLAME	(Pannell)	112	5	8	8	8	Pulled up			56.90

DON MILLER, $29.20, $13.20, $7.60; SONG O' WAR, $14.70, $7.40; HAY-JAY, $5.90.

DON MILLER, away very fast, opened good lead, saved ground and won nicely in hand. SONG O' WAR moved up gamely around turn and held on well. HAY-JAY, outrun for first three furlongs, began to close ground in stretch and finished very fast. TEDIOUS MISS ran good race. PARK FLAME ran out and was pulled up.

SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $3000; the Kilwarlin. For 4-year-olds up. Start good. Won easily; place same. Went to post at 4:03. Off at 4:04. Winner, ch. g. (7) by Whiskaway—Annie R. by Bright Knight. Owner, C. T. Chenery. Trainer, J. H. Hayes. Value, $1930, $600, $300, $150. Time, 1:09⅘ (new track record).

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
HORNBEAM	(R. J. Martin)	121	3	5	11	11½	1²	1²	1ns	$4.15
FLAG DRILL	(Hanes)	114	1	3	3¹	2¹	2¹	2¹	2¹	1.85
NOONDAY SUN	(Howell)	115	7	6	4¹	4¹	4¹	4hd	3ns	8.40
FOXY NETTIE	(Caffarella)	110	4	7	3²	3¹	3½	4½	4¹	3.50
KAY GIBSON	(Delara)	114	2	2	5²	5²	5²	5¹	5¹	4.50
EVENING FLIGHT	(Pollard)	113	5	4	7	7	7	7	6½	18.20
FREE TRANSIT	(Atkinson)	118	6	1	6hd	6½	6½	6½	7	9.55

HORNBEAM, $10.30, $5.40, $3.90; FLAG DRILL, $4.30, $3.10; NOONDAY SUN, $4.60.

HORNBEAM, showing a high turn of speed, was sent to the front early and drew away easily. FLAG DRILL followed pace, but never menaced the winner. NOONDAY SUN broke slow, worked way up and finished fast. FOXY NETTIE tired in closing strides. KAY GIBSON failed to show any speed.

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $2500; claiming. For 4-year-olds up. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 4:33. Off at 4:33½. Winner, b. g. (5) by Mountain Ridge—February by Sir Gallahad III. Owner, Fantasy Farms. Trainer, B. Rich. Value, $1700, $500, $200, $100. Time, 1:43⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
FEBRIDGE	(McGowan)	111	9	4	5½	4hd	1hd	1½	1¹	$13.50
ARMY CADET	(Jemas)	124	2	3	4²	5½	3¹	2¹	2⁴	1.95
MESCARA	(Delara)	112	1	1	3¹½	3hd	2½	3¹	3¹	6.25
LITTLE KEITH	(Gray)	113	6	9	2²	1½	4³	4¹	4½	28.60
CUPCAKE	(Atkinson)	108	11	11	11¹	10¹	7½	5hd	5hd	6.00
SPEED EASY	(Skoronski)	113	3	2	1½	2½	5½	6½	6hd	40.50
AZURE WINGS	(Woodhouse)	108	7	5	7½	6³	6¹	7½	7½	6.25
MARY'S DELL	(Caffarella)	116	8	6	9½	8½	8¹	8¹	8½	16.65
PELOPS	(Sneller)	114	5	10	10¹	9¹	9½	9½	9¹½	9.05
JINGE JANGLE	(J. D. Jessop)	115	12	12	12	12	12	11¹	10¹	23.00
BOLO'S CHOICE	(Stout)	112	4	8	6³	7¹	10¹	10³	11¹	28.20
MY MALCHA	(Padgett)	111	10	7	8¹	11²	11³	12	12	19.35

FEBRIDGE, $29.10, $13.40, $7.30; ARMY CADET, $4.20, $3.70; MESCARA, $5.50.

FEBRIDGE, showing good speed, raced LITTLE KEITH into submission and then gamely stalled off ARMY CADET'S bid. ARMY CADET closed with a rush. MESCARA ran good race. LITTLE KEITH had speed for six furlongs, then tired.

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $2000; claiming. For 4-year-olds up. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 5:04. Off at 5:04½. Winner, ch. g. (4) by Hairan—Glacial by Hourless. Owner, Mrs. I. Seybold. Trainer, I. Seybold. Value, $1400, $300, $200, $100. Time, 1:45.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
GLACIAL RUN	(J. D. Jessop)	115	9	7	8½	8¹	5hd	2¹½	1ns	$9.60
THOROBELLE	(Kenney)	116	3	3	2½	2hd	1hd	1½	2¹½	3.60
CHANTICLEER	(Hettinger)	112	1	1	5¹	3½	3½	3½	3²	8.55
VALDINA TYRANT	(McPhee)	115	2	10	7¹	7¹½	4¹	4½	4hd	10.50
GUN FLAK	(Errico)	110	5	8	11	6¹½	6¹	8¹	5ns	25.00
MR. FLIP	(Humphreys)	112	7	11	4¹	3¹	2¹	5½	6hd	30.35
SEQUOIA SKY	(Sneller)	109	6	4	1hd	1hd	9¹½	7½	7hd	28.65
SUNAWANA	(Pannell)	108	10	9	6¹	8hd	7¹	8²	8¹	6.35
IRON WORKS	(Padgett)	114	11	8	10²	10⁴	8hd	9²	9²	8.45
WAVERLY	(Skoronski)	121	8	3	3½	6½	10³	10⁴	10⁴	10.95
MICHIGAN SMART	(Richard)	118	4	6	9¹	9¹	11	11	11	3.05

GLACIAL RUN, $21.20, $8.10, $5.90; THOROBELLE, $6.00, $4.30; CHANTICLEER, $6.80.

GLACIAL RUN circled field around turn, closed fast and won in last stride. THOROBELLE assumed lead soon after the start, saved ground and held on well. CHANTICLEER was in close quarters in early part. VALDINA TYRANT ran good race. GUN FLAK was blocked in last sixteenth.

Tropical Park Entries, Odds

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $2000; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

P.P.	Horse and Jockey.	Wgt.	Odds.
1	Almarty (no boy)	112	8-1
2	Flying Giant (Layton)	111	8-1
3	Cecrops (McPhee)	109	4-1
4	Dolomite (no boy)	110	6-1
5	Junior Four (no boy)	109	6-1
6	Night Flight (Thaeker)	109	20-1
7	Gay Rover (no boy)	104	20-1
8	If-If (Sneller)	106	12-1
9	Pendshen (G. L. Smith)	118	10-1
10	Onecbill (Stout)	111	8-1
11	Alldepends (no boy)	105	10-1
12	Belle Cele (no boy)	102	10-1
13	Tintary (Errico)	106	5-1
14	My Julie (Bendinelli)	105	5-1
15	Stagey Miss (no boy)	104	15-1
16	Betsi (no boy)	111	20-1
17	Judge Davey (no boy)	111	12-1
18	East Norwich (no boy)	104	20-1

SECOND RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $3000; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

1	Proposition (Pannell)	111	12-1
2	Gigolbury (Hettinger)	113	15-1
3	J. F. Curry (no boy)	105	20-1
4	Ring Curtain (Sneller)	114	3-1
5	Battlefire (no boy)	124	4-1
6	Cherry Wine (no boy)	113	20-1
7	Stell (no boy)	103	12-1
8	Gino Gold (Atkinson)	113	15-1
9	Wise Sun (Licausi)	118	6-1
10	Tutelo (McPhee)	119	4-1
11	Sunspark (no boy)	105	15-1
12	Show (no boy)	110	20-1
13	Barnacle (no boy)	124	15-1
14	Old Union (Sneller)	116	20-1
15	Tiger Tillie (Jemas)	108	20-1

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $2200; 3-year-olds; allowances.

1	Sweet Pegotty (no boy)	117	3-1
2	Lido Way (Buxton)	116	12-1
3	Rightwing (no boy)	116	6-1
4	Capt. Patrick (Sneller)	117	12-1
5	Trials Boy (no boy)	114	8-1
6	Gay Chalia (Delara)	114	8-1
7	Alemannia (Atkinson)	116	6-1
8	Balheim (South)	116	5-2

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $3000; 4-year-olds up; allowances.

1	White Wine (Atkinson)	111	20-1
2	Yankee Raider (Strange)	112	20-1
3	Tiger Call (no boy)	112	4-1
4	Laboulaye (Rogers)	119	6-1
5	War Page (no boy)	116	4-1
6	Sunny (no boy)	108	20-1
7	Umpydan (Sneller)	116	3-1
8	General Don (Zehr)	110	8-1
9	Shifty Play (no boy)	111	20-1
10	Eire (no boy)	119	8-1
11	Suzerain (no boy)	116	5-1
12	Gregalach (Reynolds)	113	20-1
13	Bosage (no boy)	107	20-1
14	Cattachpilco (Hanes)	102	20-1
15	Darby Dimout (Sneller)	116	12-1
16	Dandy Sandy (J. D. Jessop)	119	8-1
17	Priam (no boy)	112	20-1

FIFTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $3000; 4-year-olds up; allowances.

1	On the River (Hanes)	116	2-1
2	Applause (McPhee)	114	10-1
3	Speeding Home (Atkinson)	122	3-1
4	Damos (Lo Turco)	120	8-1
5	St. Jock (Sneller)	117	8-1
6	Sea Wolf (Atkinson)	119	10-1
7	Bet Me (Skoronski)	117	20-1
8	Estate (Hettinger)	107	20-1

SIXTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles; purse, $15,000 added; the Double Event; 3-year-olds up.

1	Westminster (R. J. Martin)	117	5-2
2	Bel Reigh (Rogers)	118	12-1
3	Kingarvie (no boy)	117	3-1
4	Reaping (no boy)	119	6-1
5	†Prefect, (Pratt)	114	6-1
6	Statesman (O. Scurlock)	126	4-1
7	Eire (no boy)	115	12-1
8	Darby Dimout (Sneller)	119	20-1
9	Eternal Reward (no boy)	114	3-1
10	†Grillette (no boy)	115	8-1
11	Cat Bridge (Roberts)	120	8-1

†O. Ring entry.

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $2200; 3-year-olds; claiming.

1	Omaha Bound (Lo Turco)	112	20-1
2	Charles City (Donoso)	116	10-1
3	Kay's Love (Atkinson)	103	10-1
4	Villa Nova (Howell)	111	10-1
5	Can't Catch Me (R. J. Martin)	111	3-1
6	Lady Rheanelle (no boy)	103	20-1
7	Hemlock (R. J. Martin)	108	15-1
8	Veronas Sands (no boy)	106	3-1
9	Bullhead (Buxton)	116	8-1
10	Regained (no boy)	113	10-1
11	Roses Are Red (Rogers)	113	5-2

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $2000; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

1	Spartacus (no boy)	113	20-1
2	Uncle Byron (J. D. Jessop)	116	10-1
3	Offenbach (Errico)	111	5-2
4	Old Iron (McPhee)	111	10-1
5	Transfran (Errico)	113	20-1
6	The Wing (Bauer)	116	4-1
7	Photos (Wilson)	119	8-1
8	Sun Vigil (Jemas)	116	20-1
9	Mal (Rogers)	111	10-1
10	Our Merrick (Caffarella)	124	10-1
11	Cassao (no boy)	112	4-1
12	The Fakir (Delara)	112	20-1
13	Lost and Found (no boy)	108	20-1

Santa Anita

1—⅝: $3000; maiden 2-year-olds; claiming.
*Cristy Chicle, 118 (Glidewell) 25.40 7.20 5.40
Greg Swizzle, 115 (Parise) 4.10 3.50
*Meat Package, 115 (Permane) 3.40
Madrita, Razzum, Castle Oak, Bargaway, Lassamond, *Lovely Chicle, Lemon Pie, Moon Bride, All Velvet, Gold May, Valiant Sir, *Ifwada, *Don Gello, *Tealing, *Jolly Jumbuck also ran. Time, 0:34⅘.
*Field.

2—¾: $3000; 4-year-olds up; claiming.
Cracks, 118 (Westrope) 6.20 4.60 3.20
Strathmond, 116 (Adams) 5.60 3.80
Sweeping Time, 110 (Hanford) 4.20
Hard Twist, Gallant Devil, Inlight, Winshire Lass, Air Glory, Barsand, Quetal, Far Flue, Chansian also ran. Time, 1

THE DISTRICT LINE

by W. E. G.

Vic MacKenzie of the Dorchester House is telling the story about the time his friend Ole Olsen, of Olsen and Johnson, got kicked out of the Good Earth.

President Truman had invited Olsen and his party to the White House, where the Chief Executive was entertaining a large gathering of distinguished guests. Olsen and several fellow members of his show troupe entertained with their usual zany routine, and Mr. Truman and his guests got a terrific bang out of the act.

The comedians engaged in such bits of business as diving to the floor and spinning madly for a few moments as they wrapped themselves in the carpets. Another favorite was to stagger about the room with a Chinese vase which had been a gift of the Chinese people, while the Secret Service men gulped for fear the vase would be dropped.

Mr. Truman was so delighted with the show that he played a piano duet with Olsen, who told the President that he'd missed his calling, and should have gone into show business.

On leaving the White House, Olsen's party was in high good humor, and repaired to the Good Earth to celebrate. But their exuberance was too much for the restaurant's management.

Such bits of business as purposely dropping wraps in front of the checkroom girl and shouting, "She struck me," succeeded only in creating great dismay.

The seizure of a Chinese vase for use in the staggering act brought cries of anguish.

And rolling up in the carpet was the clincher. From the reproachful host came the accusation, "You're drunk."

"Drunk?" echoed Olsen, "why we're all cold sober. This is just the way show people blow off a little steam. We've just been to the White House, where we were a big success. I've just played a piano duet with President Truman . . ."

That settled it. The last vestige of doubt had now disappeared from the host's mind and leveling an accusing finger at Olsen, he intoned: "You're drunk, so get out."

And he did!

Jerry Klancke, who was the Government girl in charge of selling War Bonds to other Government girls, has moved out to the West Coast to serve as secretary to Radio Writer Arch Oboler . . . Commissioner J. Russell Young is the only District big shot who didn't get one of those new Buicks. He's still riding around in a car that's 9 years old . . . A local woman says she'd rather buy a fur coat than pay her income tax because they're offering bigger reductions on fur coats . . . Thirteen-year-old Dave Van Fossen of 2234 39th pl. nw., has pledged $500 to the fund being raised to buy a home for the Children's Museum. Dave's payments start at $5 a year and get bigger as he does . . . All you Hoosiers are invited to attend the Indiana State Society's reception at the Statler tonight. Guests of honor will be Indiana's congressional bigwigs, headed by Majority Leader Halleck.

Jack Purcell of 4409-S. Four Mile Run dr., writes:

"Your appreciation of spiced shrimp marks you as a man of good taste: But you're wrong if you think this delicacy is sold only on the wharves. Charlie Quade's seafood emporium at 2607 Wilson blvd., has some of the best spiced shrimp you ever tasted."

Okay, okay, so Charlie has good spiced shrimp. But he's even further away from downtown than the wharves. What's the mater with the downtown restaurants?

PEOPLE WE COULD DO WITHOUT: The guy who ruins two parking spaces by stopping in the middle of both of them.

Secretary of Agriculture Anderson, in a speech at Louisville, January 9: Our record harvest owes comparatively little to good weather.

Secretary of Agriculture Anderson, in his annual report, January 12: Our record harvest was due at least in part to abnormally good weather.

Is it true that the car-wash companies subsidize Washington's pigeon and starling population?

Grin and Bear It

"We had no idea television was practical—until the man told us we could have the set on 12 easy payments!"

And Nothing Can Be Done About It

HERE'S A GOOD ONE. A WOMAN WAS READING THE NEWSPAPER, AND LOOKED UP TO SAY TO HER HUSBAND —
"I DON'T BELIEVE IT! THIS PAPER SAYS THAT THE AVERAGE WOMAN HAS A VOCABULARY OF ONLY 500 WORDS."
"SEEMS LIKE A SMALL STOCK," SAID THE MAN. "BUT THINK OF THE TURNOVER!"
I SAW GRACE DOWN TOWN TODAY, AND WAIT TILL YOU HEAR WHAT SHE TOLD ME. YOU'LL NEVER BELIEVE THIS. REALLY, THIS IS SOMETHING

Reader Service

Treating Wounds

When Junior's hand is cut open by a rusty nail, better call the doctor right away—there's always the danger of blood poisoning. Meanwhile, cleanse the wound thoroughly with soap and water, pour in peroxide to rout out particles of rust and dirt, and then soak the hand in a hot, strong epsom salt solution.

If your small boy falls and skins his knee, cleanse the scraped spot with peroxide of hydrogen. As it foams up, it loosens the embedded particles of dirt.

The Washington Post Reader Service booklet contains 40 pages of helpful advice about home nursing. Tells symptoms and nursing of contagious diseases; care during pregnancy; after operations, in emergencies. A must for every home.

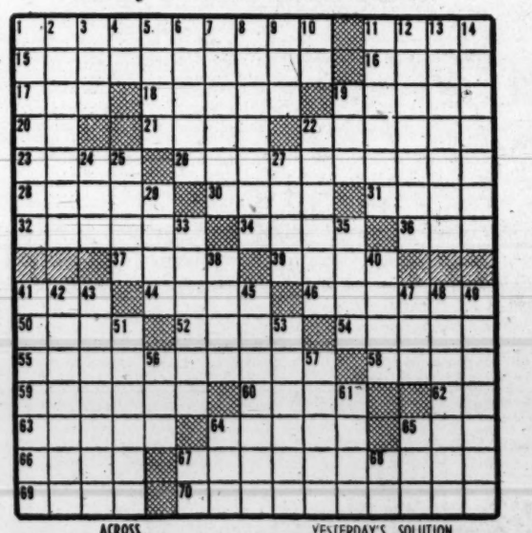
Send 25 cents (coin) for Booklet No. 81, "Practical Instruction for the Home Nurse," to The Washington Post, Reader Service, 243 W. 17th St., New York 11, N. Y. Print name, address, booklet title and number.

It's About Time

By Dolores Boland

It's About Time to have one of those old large linen damask table cloths dyed bright red or green. Cut in half and use for a pair of swag valances. Wonderful over sheer white glass curtains. Fringe can be sewed around all sides before dying.

Daily Crossword Puzzle



ACROSS

1 Pictorial transmission
11 Crafts
15 Simple
16 Heraldic green
17 Thrice
18 Accommodate
19 Ascribe
20 Sun god
21 Animation
22 Read
23 Burden
26 Lingering sensation
28 Recipient of a gift
30 Certain
31 Sodium chloride
32 Deletes
34 Window frame
36 French article
37 Wooden strip
39 Portico
41 Minced oath
44 Stigma
46 Mosaic gold
50 Highest notes
52 Beverages
54 Nests
55 Metric measure
58 Matron
59 Striking effects
60 Angers
62 Chemical suffix
63 Roman roads
64 Elemi
65 Knot
66 Elect
67 Effluxes
69 Gaelic
70 Communicates

DOWN

1 Vacuum tube with four electrodes
2 Girl's name
3 Gaelic sea god
4 Consonant
5 Meat
6 Asiatic country
7 Poles
8 Saturn's eighth moon
9 Refuse
10 Empire State: abbr.
11 Feudal services
12 Denial
13 Braced frame
14 Thoroughfares
19 Steep
22 Quickly
24 Spenser's lovely lady
25 Soap frame plate
27 Ages
29 Long fishes
33 Eastern salutes
35 Cusp of the moon
38 Bulrush
40 Among
41 Cheat
42 Voter
43 Little men
45 Of an eye membrane
47 Harem room
48 Type of automobile steering pivot
49 Ineffectual
51 One looked at fixedly
53 White amino derivative
56 Possessive pronoun
57 Plan anew
61 Son of Adam
64 Soul: French
65 Weight
67 French conjunction
68 Hawaiian hewk

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION

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STEVE CANYON
JOE PALOOKA
MICKEY FINN
PENNY
MARY WORTH
WINNIE WINKLE
SUPERMAN
DOTTY

TERRY AND THE PIRATES

CURSE THE LUCK! WE'VE BEEN SPOTTED!
AFTER ME! USE TERROR TACTICS! DESTROY ANY IDOL PARSON WHO SHOWS HIMSELF!
IT WAS LIKE THIS IN THE LATE WAR. JUST AS ONE MAKES READY TO TERRORIZE AN INFERIOR PEOPLE, THEY BECOME MOST FORMIDABLE!

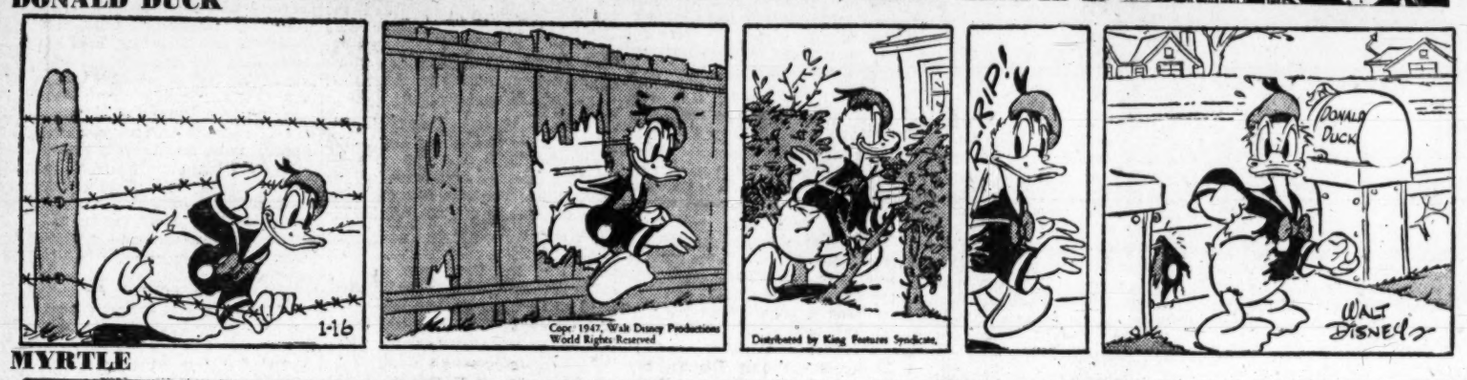
WAHOO AND STEVE ROPER

SO YOUR SISTER IS A MODEL?
YES---TOOTOO DE VINE---OF THE TOWERS AGENCY! SHE---
HOLD EVERYTHING, BABE! HAPPENS I KNOW EXACTLY WHERE SHE IS TONIGHT!--- TELLS IN THIS AD!--HOP IN!
STOP SHAKING, KID! NOT A SIGN OF CLIPPER'S GUNMEN SO FAR!
READY FOR YOUR ENTRANCE, TOOTOO!
In the alley behind the Department Store.
KEEP THE MOTOR RUNNING, "VOICES!"---OXIE AND I MAY BE IN SORT OF A HURRY WHEN WE COME BACK!

DIXIE DUGAN

CHEER UP--IT WON'T BE LONG BEFORE DAWN --THEN YOU AND 'HANDSOME' HERE CAN HAVE THE KEY TO GHOST TOWN
A SKELETON KEY?
WHAT'LL WE DO T'KEEP AWAKE?? --I CAN HARDLY HOLD MY HEAD UP--
WE COULD MAKE A SNOWMAN--
I KNOW!--MAGGIE, S'POSIN' YOU TELL US HOW YA BUMPED OFF THAT LAST GUY
YEAH--TH'BOSS SAID IT WAS NEAT--HAD THAT FEMININE TOUCH--(YAWN.)
I'M AFRAID I'D ONLY BORE YOU
AW--NAW YA WON'T, MAGGIE
DON'T BE SO MODEST, MAGGIE--C'MON--TELL US

DONALD DUCK



MYRTLE

I GOT THE PROOFS OF MY PICTURES, AND MOM WANTS TO KNOW WHICH ONE YOU LIKE BEST
IT'S FUNNY WHAT THE CAMERA CAN DO. YOU LOOK OLDER IN THIS ONE.
WELL, I WAS A LITTLE OLDER! THIS IS THE ONE HE TOOK LAST
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OZARK IKE

AS THEY ROAR DOWN THE HOME-STRETCH, HI-BAWL SLASHES SNOWFALL'S LEAD TO TWO LENGTHS!
WHAT IRONY! ...IF MY OWN HORSE BEATS SNOWFALL, IT'LL COST ME FIFTY GRAND!
C'MON, GET GOING, HI-BAWL... YUH ONLY GOT FORTY YARDS T' NOSE OUT THIS NAG!
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MARK TRAIL

MMMM...YOU LOOK EVEN BETTER THAN MY DREAMS, HONEY!
EASY, PAL... BEAUTIFUL WORDS, BUT...
COULD I SPEND MY SPARE TIME AT YOUR HOUSE... ABOUT 18 HOURS A DAY, LET'S SAY?
YOU KNOW WE CAN'T ALLOW WOLVES IN LOST FOREST... THINK OF THE POOR HELPLESS LITTLE LAMBS.
HEY... WHAT YOU GOT THERE, AL?
DEAD SHEEP!
SO DOOO!

KING OF THE ROYAL MOUNTED

TORTURE WOULD NOT OPEN MY LIPS!..
..IF, BY USING ME AS A SHIELD, YOU SUCCEED IN HARMING THE MOUNTIE, I WILL TELL YOU NOTHING!
HMM!... HOKAY!.. EEF HE TOSS OUT GUN, WE WEEL GET THEESE BEESNESS OVER WEETH!
ALL RIGHT, CRISS CROSS, I'LL BREAK THE STALEMATE!

Today's Radio Programs

THURSDAY — WASHINGTON — E.S.T.

THE WASHINGTON POST
Thursday, January 16, 1947

	WMAL 630	WRC 980	WOL 1260	WINX 1340	WWDC 1450	WTOP 1500
	News, 6, 7, 8:30. Today's Prelude, 6:05. Town Clock, 7:10, 8, 3:35. David Wills, 7:45	WRC Almanac, 5:30. News, 6, 7, 7:30, 8:30. Tim'k'per, 6:05-9. Weather, 6:30.	News, 6, 6:30, 7, 7:30, 8, 8:30. Art Brown, 6:05-9. Sports, 7:40. Union Station, 8:35.	News, 6, 7, 8. Jerry Strong, Wake Up With WINX, 6:05-9.	Hunnicutt, 6-9. News, 6:30, 7, 7:30, 8:15. Devotions, 6:45.	Corn Squeezing Time, 5:30-7:30; News, 6, 6:30, 7, 7:30, 8. Arthur Godfrey, 7:45-9:45.
9	:00 Breakfast Club :15 Don McNeil :30 Jack Owen :45 Sam Cowling	Phil Ohman " " News; Nancy Osgood " "	Musical Clock with Art Brown Easy Listening " "	News; Music in the Air " " " " " " " " Pat Griffith	Mike Hunnicutt " " Alice Lane " "	Godfrey; Mahoney Arthur Godfrey " " Home Service Daily
10	:00 My True Story :15 " " ; Hymns :30 Hymns, All Churches :45 Listening Post	Herson in Person Nelson Olmsted Road of Life Joyce Jordan	" " " " Spice in Life Here's Kopeland	News; Music Hall " " " " " "	Open House " " " " " "	Janice Grey Hymns Evelyn Winters David Harum
11	:00 Breakfast :15 with Breneman :30 Ruth Crane :45 " "	Fred Waring " " Jack Berch Show Lora Lawton	Cecil Brown Tell Your Neighbor Karl Bates Creates Victor Lindlahr	News; Symphony Hour Khachaturian's Piano Concerto (Lympany)	Rhythm Roundup Crosby Time Pin-Up Tunes " "	News You're the Top Grand Slam Rosemary
12	:00 News, Evans :15 South American Way :30 Kenny Baker Show :45 " " "	News; Dave Brinkley Look to This Day Art Van Damme Nancy Osgood	Check'board Jamboree Morton Downey Ray Henle Easy Aces	NEWS ROUNDUP Midday Star Time Lunch with Spike Jones Latin Touch	Tello-Test " " News; Music Man on Street	Kate Smith Aunt Jenny Romance, Helen Trent Our Gal Sunday
1	:00 Baukhage Talking :15 Hollywood Story :30 Kitchen Kwiz :45 " "	To Music " " Tin Pan Ballet Robert McCormick	Erskine Johnson Meet Your Neighbor Musical Comedy Quiz Cliff Edwards	News; Swing Serenade " " " " Melodic Moments " "	All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman	Big Sister Ma Perkins Young Dr. Malone Road of Life
2	:00 Music Box :15 Jim Gibbons :30 Bride and Groom :45 John Nelson	Today's Children Woman in White Masquerade Light of the World	Cedric Foster Smile Time Queen for a Day " "	News; Pops Concert Ponchielli's Dance of the Hours (Stock)	All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman	Second Mrs. Burton Perry Mason Lone Journey Rose of My Dreams
3	:00 Ladies Be Seated :15 Accent on Music :30 " " :45 Mile of Dimes	Life Can Be Beautiful Ma Perkins Pepper Young's Family Right to Happiness	Easy Does It " " " " " " " " "	News; Tea for Two " " " " " " " " "	All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman	Aunt Mary Dr. Paul Stumpus Meet the Missus
4	:00 Tommy Bartlett :15 " " :30 News, Evans :45 Accent on Music	Backstage Wife Stella Dallas Lorenzo Jones Young Widow Brown	" " " " " " " " " Buck Rogers	News; Broadway Bandwagon Music Hall " "	All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman	House Party " " ; News That's Life " "
5	:00 Terry & the Pirates :15 Sky King :30 Jack Armstrong :45 Charm School of Air	When a Girl Marries Portia Faces Life Just Plain Bill Front Page Farrell	Hop Harrigan Superman Captain Midnight Tom Mix	News; Music Hall " " " " " "	Band of the Day Crooners' Battle Sports; Theater Theater of the Air	School of the Air " " William Green Fact Finder
6	:00 Evans; Agronsky :15 Stardust; Sports :30 Earl Godwin :45 Singing Sam	News; Leif Eid Tyner Time Brinkley; Bergman Lowell Thomas	Warner-Brott Sports, Brundige Johnson Family Art Brown	NEWS ROUNDUP Bob Wolff, Sports Dinner Concert " "	Melody Lane " " Sports, Wakeman Supper Club	News; D. C. Diary City Desk; Govt. News Speaking of Sports News; Robert Trout
7	:00 Louise Massey :15 Elmer Davis :30 Professor Quiz :45 " "	Supper Club News of the World Grand Marquee " "	Fulton Lewis, jr. Man Behind the Band News, R. Eaton Inside of Sports	News; Piano Music Xavier Cugat Dance Tempo " "	Popular Tunes Bill McCune Orch. News with Austad Govt. News & Music	Mystery of the Week Jack Smith Show Mr. Keen " "
8	:00 Lum 'n' Abner :15 Monitor News :30 Town Meeting :45 Herbert Nelson	Aldrich Family " " Burns and Allen " "	Sound Off " " Count of Monte Cristo " "	News; Ballet Scenes " " Eminent Pianists " "	To Win the Peace United We Stand News; 1450 Club (Jackson Lowe)	Suspense " " FBI in Peace & War " ; News, Henry
9	:00 Rep. Albert Gore :15 " " :30 Board of Trade :45 " "	Kraft Music Hall " " " Jack Haley " "	News, Gabriel Heatter Real Life Stories Treasure Hour of Song	News; Symphony Kodaly's Galantea Dances (Fiedler)	1450 Club (Jackson Lowe) News; 1450 Club (Jackson Lowe)	Dick Haymes Show " " " Crime Photographer " "
10	:00 World Security :15 Workshop :30 Rabbi Gerstenfeld :45 " "	Abbott and Costello " " Eddie Cantor " "	Evening Serenade " " Art Mooney's Orch. " "	News; Music by Artie Shaw Music for Dreaming " " "	Juke Box Revue Your Gov't and Mine News; 1450 Club (Jackson Lowe)	Reader's Digest Radio Edition Columbia Workshop " "
11	:00 News, Evans :15 Hour of Dreams :30 Lee Dayton :45 Ray Michael	News; Music Richard Harkness Story of Music " "	Voice of Washington Fulton Lewis, jr. Sweet Music " " ; News	News—Post Preview Music for the Years " " " " " " " "	1450 Club (Jackson Lowe) News; 1450 Club (Jackson Lowe)	News, Collingwood Joseph Harsch; Sports Moondial (Eddie Gallaher)

TODAY'S RADIO HIGHLIGHTS

International Children's Fund, an affiliate of U. N., will be discussed by Miss Katharine Lenroot, chief of the United States Children's Bureau. **WQQW—11 a. m.**

"It Is Dark Underground"—The story of a group of youths in occupied China who made war on the invaders is presented on "Tales of Adventure." **WTOP—5 p. m.**

Harry B. Mitchell, president of the Civil Service Commission, appears on "Government News" on sixty-third anniversary of National Civil Service Act. **WWDC—7:45 p. m.**

Frances Langford is guest on "Sound Off with Mark Warnow." **WOL—8 p. m.**

Joan Bennett stars in "Overture in Two Keys," a "Suspense" story about a deaf pianist-composer. **WTOP—8 p. m.**

Intergroup Education Institute, sponsored by the National Conference of Christians and Jews, is discussed by Dr. Eli Cooper of the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith. **WWDC—8:15 p. m.**

Should Rent Ceilings Be Lifted? Herbert U. Nelson and Representative Albert Gore interrogated by Douglas Whitlock and R. J. Thomas, chairman of the CIO committee on veterans housing. **WMAL—8:30 p. m.**

Edward G. Robinson visits Eddie Duchin and Eddie Foy. **WRC—9 p. m.**

Representative Edward H. Rees, chairman of the House Committee on Civil Service, and **James B. Burns,** national president of **AFGE. WWDC—10:15 p. m.**

"The Surreal Marriage" by Elwood Hoffman is presented by Columbia Workshop. **WTOP—10:30 p. m.**

WQQW 570

7:30 a.m. Good Morning	11:00 a.m. Woman's World	1:00 p.m. Music for Listening	3:00 p.m. Chamber Music
7:45 a.m. News, Martin	11:45 a.m. Instrumentally Yours	1:30 p.m. Waltz Time	3:45 p.m. Off the Cuff News
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WINX-FM 92.9 and 43.2

WINX-FM duplicates WINX programs between 9 a. m. and 11:15 p. m.

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WASH-FM 98.9

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Portraits

By James J. Metcalfe

Way of the world

If everybody in this world . . . Achieved a real success . . . There would not be sufficient fame . . . To go around, I guess . . . And if each person had to have . . . A fortune in his name . . . The money situation would . . . Be pretty much the same . . . And who would ever work for whom . . . Or sell the things we need? . . . And who would ever envy or . . . Applaud another's deed? . . . It seems there have to be some folks . . . Who never reach the stars . . . Or even know the luxury . . . Of homes and motor cars . . . There have to be some people poor . . . Who toil from day to day . . . While others rise to fame and wealth . . . So they may lead the way.

The Bridge Deck

Today's Hand

North-South Vulnerable

SOUTH DEALER

	♠ J 9 ♡ 10 3 2 ◇ None ♣ A Q 10 9 8 4 3 2	
♠ 10 8 7 6 5 ♡ 6 5 4 ◇ 6 5 2 ♣ 6 5	NORTH WEST EAST SOUTH	♠ Q 4 3 ♡ K Q J 9 ◇ J 10 7 3 ♣ J 7
	♠ A K 2 ♡ A 8 7 ◇ A K Q 9 8 4 ♣ K	

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
2 ◇	Pass	4 ♣	Pass
4 NT	Pass	5 ◇	Pass
5 NT	Pass	6 ♣	Dble
6 ◇	Pass	Pass	Dble
Pass	Pass	Pass	

Opening lead: 6 ♣.

By FLORENCE OSBORN

North-South played today's hand at six diamonds doubled, down two tricks, when seven clubs was laydown.

C. L. S. writes: "A club was opened and declarer took the ace and queen in dummy, discarding a heart from his hand. He led the spade jack, East covered and the ace won. Now declarer couldn't help losing a diamond, heart and spade for down two.

"Thirteen club tricks are easy. North discarding two losing hearts on ace, king of diamonds.

East doubled the six-club contract (the natural response to the Blackwood convention), hoping to throw declarer back into the diamond suit. The ruse worked.

"East was sure of one trick in the diamond suit and possibly a heart.

"How should this hand have been bid?" The most effective way of getting partner to realize we have an unusually long suit which would be of value as trumps, but no side cards to support any other declaration is by repeated bids of the suit without jumping.

With a freak hand, plainess in bidding cannot be over-emphasized. By bidding and rebidding clubs at the lowest possible level and stubbornly continuing, even up to even, North could have saved the set.

Just Hearsay

"What did Mrs. Jones mean, she knows who wears the pants in the family?"

WISHING WELL

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B	E	S	H	G	E	S	J	M	O	R	S	B
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O	O	R	P	O	R	A	P	O	A	O	O	G
8	3	2	6	4	7	8	3	5	3	2	8	3
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HERE is a pleasant little game that will give you a message every day. It is a numerical puzzle designed to spell out your fortune. Count the letters in your first name. If the number of letters is 6 or more, subtract 4. If the number is less than 6, add 3. The result is your key number. Start at the upper left-hand corner of the rectangle and check every one of your key numbers, left to right. Then read the message the letters under the checked figures give you.

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Streamlining With Ida Jean Kain

Tone Midriff Muscles For a Lovelier Figure

THE stays in your muscular girdle do little to stop the spread, at any age. But live tone in the muscles that form your invisible girdle will keep the midriff firm and flat. Figure it out. The backbone is the only bony support for the entire midsection, so frontline defense depends entirely on muscle tone. It's plain to be seen you can't be spineless about exercise and keep slim in the middle.

DON'T BE SPINELESS

The major abdominals, the ones that run the entire length of the midriff and are used in the up-pull, we learned about yesterday. Fanning out from these slender muscles are horizontal and diagonal muscles; broad, flat muscles that cover the side and front of the midriff and attach into the lower ribs. These are the in-pull muscles. Let them get flabby and the figure plumps out just below the waistline at each side in front. That's it, the middle spread.

These oblique muscles, two pairs of them, oppose and balance each other, and when toned, tend to flatten the abdomen even more than the front muscles because of their curved position around the side and front.

Begin with a stretch-reflex to contract muscles. Stand, legs fairly close together, elbows bent, hands on top of head, elbows back. Now, centering all the stretch through the midsection, bend vigorously sideward, back to center and bend vigorously to the other side. Repeat, and this time twist slightly to the side, following the bend. This exercise is of little value unless you pull up and in strongly with the abdominal muscles as you bend and twist. Keep shoulders relaxed.

Now, a strong in-pull. Kneel on floor, clasp hands below waistline in back and touch forehead to floor. Pull in strongly with muscles of abdominal girdle. Very slowly come up to a sitting position, maintaining the up and in-pull of middle muscles. As you come up, raise arms sideward in line with shoulders.

Tomorrow we'll carry the lesson into everyday movements.

SCIENTIFIC SLIMMING PATTERN

Eye-opener—Juice of half lemon, 1 tsp. honey, large glass warm or hot water, before breakfast.

BREAKFAST	CALORIES
Orange juice, 2/3 glass	75
Poached egg on thin slice of toast, ¼ pat butter	150
Coffee, clear	0
	225

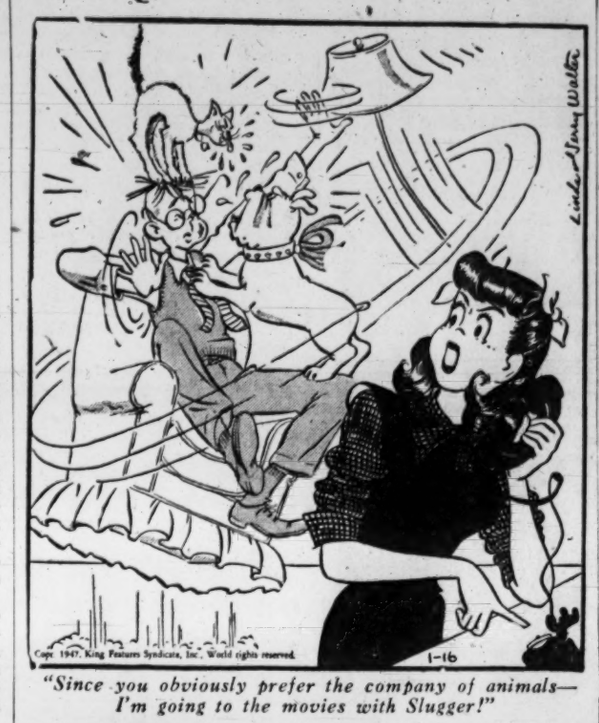
Note—To insure an abundance of vitamins without added calories, take a vitamin concentrate furnishing vitamins A, B-1, B-2, C and D after breakfast.

LUNCHEON	
Grilled hamburger on toasted bun (mustard and onion)	200
Glass of buttermilk or skim milk	80
Fruit, fresh or canned	100
	380

DINNER	
Minute steak, grilled	100
Baked potato, ½ large	50
String beans, all you wish	25
Butter, ½ pat	25
Cole slaw	50
Slice of pineapple	100
	350
Before retiring, glass of skim milk, hot if preferred	80
Total calories for the day	1035

If you wish the leaflet, "Streamline the Midsection," send stamped, addressed envelope to King Features Syndicate, Inc., 235 East 45th st., New York City.

Susie Q



"Since you obviously prefer the company of animals—I'm going to the movies with Slugger!"

Mary Haworth's Mail

Girl, 14, Obliged to Give Lackey Service To Older Brothers and Sisters, Can't Find Time for Friends or Homework; Asks Advice

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: I am a girl 14 years old, the youngest in a family of 10 children. Two of my brothers are in the service and three of my sisters are married. My problem is that my other brothers and sisters—the ones who are still at home—are continually bossing me around.

They say I should help them with their household duties as I am the youngest and have nothing else to do. Besides leaving their household duties for me, they have me clean their shoes and do other personal services that I think they should do for themselves.

I like to go out and have a good time once in a while, but all these duties keep me busy all day Saturday and Sunday. When my friends come over, my sisters and brothers are very rude and tell them to go away, saying that I have chores to do.

In addition to this effect upon my social life, I am behind in my studies because I have no time to do my homework. My parents are no help, as they believe I should settle my own problems. Do you think that I am lazy because I don't want to do these things? Should I try refusing to do these duties? L. B.

Parents' Stand Reflects on Them

DEAR L. B.: In my opinion, it's a burning shame that your parents are letting the older children walk all over you, figuratively speaking. They make a poor showing in the role of authority when they shrug off your plight with the stock admonition to solve your own problems.

I definitely think you are entitled to refuse to be bootblack and slavey in the service of tyrannical elder brothers and sisters; and if I had your parents' ear, I'd tell them to wake up, get busy and put a stop to this unfair play.

There is something going on under the surface here that you and your parents don't realize—which I'll try to explain, in the hope that a dose of understanding will embolden you to stand up for yourself. There are psychologically sound reasons why you should. So here goes:

Almost invariably, in large families of children there is one child who gets the short end of the stick, on the score of consideration from parents, brothers and sisters. In rare instances, the eldest child is shunted aside to shift for himself, in a rising tide of competition. More often, it is the middle child, who finds the older children don't want his company, and his mother too busy with the smaller fry to give him fair share of affectional backing.

Basic Reason For Servility

Occasionally—as with you—it's the youngest child, whose mother is so "weary of well doing" and so tired of settling childish disputes by the time he arrives that she remains apathetic to his needs of alert maternal allegiance in a situation where the next-older children will walk over him as a matter of course, if permitted.

One typical reaction of a sensitive, naturally warm-hearted child, when thus neglected in that kind of situation, is to develop a tendency, as he grows older, to play lackey to his tormentors—for the instinctive purpose of trying to win their good will by servile tactics, having lost faith in his own consequence and knowing no other approach to his heart's desire, namely, fraternal acceptance.

That's the case history, more or less, of your underdog status in relation to your next-older brothers and sisters, I'll wager. And psychologists tell us it's always a mistake to cower when courting respect and affection. Hence, it speaks well for your native character and common sense that you're getting fed up with the bad sportsmanship of your next-older brothers and sisters; and I hope for your sake that you'll never play slavey to them again—and that your parents will back you in this. M. H.

Mary Haworth counsels through her column, not by mail or personal interview. Write her in care of The Post.

Son to Wilkins

Lieut. and Mrs. Ellison Wood Wilkins of Arlington are receiving congratulations on a new son, Ellison Wood Wilkins, jr., born January 10 at Walter Reed Hospital. Lieutenant Wilkins is stationed at Washington National Airport with the Air Transport Command.

Ask Anne

Your Questions On Homemaking

Please advise me how to clean a pair of light tan suede loafers. N. S.

Gently brush off dry dust and soil with a special stiff sponge or bristle brush. Then apply a liquid dressing made especially for suede shoes—never use dressings intended for smooth leather. Follow instructions on the bottle. Wipe off edge of sole with a damp cloth. Let the dressing dry completely and then brush up the nap.

Can you suggest how best to remove the following: (1) Grayish spots on a white leather bag. The spots are perfume. (2) Spots on linen napkins, made by a yellow oilcloth rain hat stored in the same trunk? M. A. G.

1. Wash the perfume spot with lukewarm suds or saddle soap. The stain may be permanent, since perfumes are difficult to remove.

2. Bleach the napkins with Javelle water or another good laundry bleach. Launder in warm soapsuds.

Could you please tell me what would help to take the shine off a black wool crepe skirt? E. S.

Sponge the shine with vinegar and water, allow to dry and steam press the skirt. Don't press it completely dry. Hang it up and brush thoroughly with stiff brush.

Two months ago a bottle of nail polish spilled in the side compartment of a bororwed suitcase. I have tried cleaning fluid and gasoline to no avail. Please give me some suggestion as I don't want to return the suitcase in such condition. A. P. B.

Apply a few drops of banana oil to the stains and then sponge with carbon tetrachloride.

Anne answers questions on homemaking through her column only. Address Ask Anne, Room 408, The Washington Post, Washington 4, D. C.

In Orange Blossom Parade

Wilkinson—Mosher

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Helm Wilkinson, whose marriage took place December 31, are residing at the Warwick Apartments, 3051 Idaho ave., following their return from a wedding trip.

The bride is the former Mrs. Mabelle W. Mosher, daughter of Dr. Asa Willard of Missoula, Mont., and widow of Capt. Roy Mosher, U.S.A. She has been serving as analyst in the Japan-Korea division of the State Department.

Mr. Wilkinson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Wilkinson of Stanford, Ky., He is a graduate of Georgetown University Law School, and is a lawyer-examiner with the Interstate Commerce Commission. During the First World War he was in the United States Foreign Service, stationed at the American Legation in Stockholm.

The wedding was performed in the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church by the Rev. Dr. George W. Burroughs. Comdr. James Bremner of the Royal Canadian Navy, and Mrs. Bremner were the attendants.

McRoberts—Young

Married in Washington on January 8 were **Miss Janet Young**, daughter of Maj. Sidney Hooper Young, USA, retired, and Mrs. Young of New York City, and **Lieut. Commander James Francis McRoberts, USN**, son of Mrs. John McRoberts of Hobart, Ind., and the late Mr. McRoberts.

The Rev. Robert L. Keesler performed the ceremony at the Washington home of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank K. Nebeker. Mr. Nebeker is the former United States Assistant Attorney General.

The bride, escorted by her father, chose a white satin gown with duchess lace yoke and matching headdress holding her full-length veil. She carried white camelias and freesia. Mrs. Ralph E. Ladue, jr., wearing pale blue and carrying dubonnet carnations, was matron of honor, and Lieut. Commander Edward F. Hayes, USN, served as best man. A reception followed.

Then the newlyweds left for Alameda, Calif., where they will make their home. Mrs. McRoberts attended University of Maryland and Utah State College. Her husband is a graduate of the Naval Academy at Annapolis.

Murphy—Mullins

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mullins of Daleville, Ala., have announced the marriage of their daughter, **Emily Norman Mullins**, to **James Edward Murphy**, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Murphy of Fayette County, W. Va., on December 25 in Arlington, Va.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Frank L. Snyder at his home. Mrs. Myrle M. Watson was the bride's only attendant and Albert Frere served as best man.

The couple are making their home in Mahan, Va., where Mr. Murphy is principal of the Mahan School.

Officers' Club Plans Dance Saturday

The Officers' Service Club, 1644 21st st., is sponsoring a dance at the Statler Hotel Congressional Room on Saturday evening from 9 to 12 for all officers in and around Washington who are on active duty or who have left the service. The party is in answer to numerous requests that these affairs, which were so popular during the war, be continued.

Daughters of officers of the Army, Navy and Marine Corps will be among the 80 hostesses on hand to act as partners for lonely officers without "dates." Several distinguished guests have been invited.

Canadian Wolves Destroy Meancing Game Supply

Pittsburgh (U.P.).—Wanton timber wolves in mountainous northwestern Alberta, Canada, are killing off "desirable types" of game in increasing numbers, Dr. Arthur C. Twomey reported upon his return from a scientific expedition into the relatively unknown country.

Dr. Twomey, curator of ornithology of the Carnegie Museum of Pittsburgh, predicted that unless the wolf population is reduced, the loss of game will "reach serious proportions." He

Harris & Ewing

MISS ANNE ZATZ

. . . Engagement announced

Zatz—Abel

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Zatz of Washington announce the engagement of their daughter, Anne, to Edward Abel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Abel, also of this city. The wedding will take place in the early summer.

LEONARD LYONS

Times Square Tattle

New York, Jan. 15.—The FBI has taken jurisdiction in the matter of the convicts who escaped from Raymond Street Jail. Because one of them was captured in New Jersey, there is an assumption that they crossed the State line, which makes this a case for the G-Men . . . Toledano, the leftist labor leader of Latin-America, is en route to Tokyo for the World Federation of Trade Unions . . . Grace Tulley, who was Roosevelt's secretary and has been working on his papers, is completing the job and then will begin work for the Roosevelt Memorial Committee . . . Alberto Tarchiani, the Italian Ambassador to Washington, has been assured that he isn't being replaced.

Doris Duke

The War Department's archives shows that in all of General Marshall's long-range planning, his No. 1 consideration was "Unity of the Allies" . . . Jane Davis, the singer-daughter of former Senator Davis of Pennsylvania, is being introduced as "the only lady singer who ever sat on Herbert Hoover's lap." It happened when she was a child visitor at the White House . . . The FBI, which spent 35 million dollars last year, made for the Government—in fines and property recovery—40 millions in the same period.

Doris Duke received from the Soviet government the official citation for the medal she recieved when she attended a party in Germany with the late General Patton. The Soviet general who gave her one of his medals for representing the Typical American Working Woman, never told her what kind of medal it was. The World's Richest Girl learned from the citation that it's the Russian Good Conduct Medal.

Quentin Reynolds received a telegram asking him to be toastmaster at last week's dinner for Representative Vito Marcantonio. Reynolds wired back: "Are you kidding?" . . . It was at this dinner that Donald Ogden Stewart found that he was the only one wearing a dinner jacket. He announced: "To those of you who all night long have been asking me the way to the smoking room, I'm making this explanation. I'm from Hollywood, where the custom is to dress whenever you feel there's going to be more than $5000 in the house." . . . Tom Benton, the artist, has given up liquor and visits to New York. He says: "I can't do one without the other."

In 1941 Richard Cooley of Yale was the runner-up in the intercollegiate squash championships. Then he entered the Air Forces, became the pilot of a P-38 and was hit in a fight over Germany. He still doesn't know how he came to be alive in a field in Germany, for he was unconscious when his plane exploded and his right arm—without which he could not pull the rip-cord of his parachute—had been cut off . . . During his hospitalization he started to practice a squash swing with his left hand. He practiced this left-handed swing in the prison camp too, until he was liberated. And Sunday in the squash championships at the Harvard Club, the former right-hand champ who now plays left-hand, reached the semifinals.

Charles Addams, the horror cartoonist, had a birthday party last week and received a gilded skull. He also received a white kitten which he didn't eat but took home with him . . . If the families of the submarine spies who were executed want their bodies shipped back to Germany, they now may apply to the War Department. In the meantime Dash and Burger, the two spies who testified against the others and saved their own lives, still are waiting for the War Department to ship them back, pursuant to recommendations made by the Government officials to whom they made their confessions . . . The Marine who pulled Howard Hughes from the burning plane has been promised a furnished house, money and a job when he gets his discharge.

When Columbia University was buying up all the available real estate in the blocks which became Radio City, Nicholas Murray Butler personally negotiated with one holdout, who stubbornly refused to sell. "I used every device known to man," Dr. Butler later reported to his staff. One of the professors shook his head in dissent and suggested, "Did you offer him an honorary degree?" . . . A lady, whose husband was the Swedish Ambassador to Tokyo, is in New York now telling of her misfortune—of the $125,000 offer she received for her home on Camden dr. in Beverly Hills, Calif. The day the purchaser called at her house with the contract for signature, she left in the morning and told her maid to tell the buyer she wanted more time to consider. That night, when she returned, she had no house. Howard Hughes' plane had destroyed it.

One day President Roosevelt read a New York Times editorial to which he objected. He called one of the executives who calmed him by saying, "We had a survey taken and it showed that only 10 per cent of the Times readers read the editorials. That's not enough people to worry about." . . . Some months later the President called the same official and said, "I'm about to issue a report, and it's important that the Times comment on it editorially." . . . "You mean you're still worried about that same 10 per cent?" the President was asked. . . . "It's not that," said Roosevelt. "It's just that the other papers in the country will print a digest of editorial comments about this report, and all of them will quote the New York Times."

HEDDA HOPPER

Wynn's Winning Pitch!

THURS BULL THEATERS HOP

Hollywood, Jan. 15.—Keenan Wynn put in a pitch for the role of the fading comedian, Buddy Hare, in "The Huckster" and got it. Keenan, being young, isn't afraid people will think he's too old to play the part . . . The day Clark Gable started working in that picture, he got wires from all over the country. They read: "Hope you're a happy huckster." Anita Colby sent him a huge basket of soap. Clark plays an advertising man in that one. Just back from a fishing trip in Oregon, he's telling about a family he usually stays with up there, and speaks of their cute kids. I've just learned that the cutest is a girl—she's 21. . . . "One Exciting Kiss" is the title of the Ilona Massey-Nelson Eddy picture. What! Only one? . . . Ellen Ross is spending much time on the "Magic Town" set. Reason: James Stewart, the star. No, she's not working in the picture. . . . "The Hit Parade" gets Betty Hutton for eight weeks.

Betty Hutton

Being Done in Writing

Helen Morgan is in Palm Springs doing a life story on Slim (Mrs. Howard) Hawks. I wondered when some one would get around to that. Not only is slim photogenic; her language is, too . . . When the new Italian import, Valli, appeared on "The Paradine Case" set, she got the biggest hand since Ingrid Bergman. I hear she's on the sensational side. . . . Pat Smart's friends are in a tizzy trying to learn who gave her that $95,000 diamond necklace. They don't know whether to hang it on Winston Guest, Winthrop Rockefeller, or a new beau. . . . Cary Grant is in New York to see the shows; also Bob Sherwood, who's doing the script on "The Bishop's Wife," in which Cary will play. . . . Since John Stahl is looking for a youngster to play Gregory Peck in his early years for "The Walls of Jericho," I'd like to suggest the son of Ben Brody, the big handbag man. He's a natural actor and looks like Peck.

Hats Off—Mine Is

Frank Borzage picked the right time to shoot his race scenes for "Gallant Man." He'll spend the next three weeks doing them at Santa Anita. I visited that beautiful layout the other day, and came home a winner—thanks to a hat. Since Mrs. E. E. D. Shaffer, whose husband owns Sis Rosie, was wearing six bottles of bourbon on her hat, I was asked to meet her, but was requested not to go to her box until after the next race since she was expecting their horse to win. I never placed a bet faster. And, sure enough, I won. Mrs. Shaffer didn't have a dollar on the horse. Says she never bets on their own horses, because she believes such is bad luck. Gracie Allen, from her squeals of joys, had a lucky afternoon. Franchot Tone didn't Neither did Charlie Rogers. Mrs. Rob Cobb, wearing an Irish green velvet hat, had a winning streak, but not so Mrs. Sammy Wood nor Mrs. Norman Cloud. However, Santa Anita's a heavenly place—win or lose . . . Joe Pasternak is screen-testing Viola Essen's husband, Violinist Werner Gabauer. Viola will play opposite Eddie Bracken in Andy Stone's next.

Keeping the Record Straight

James Mason, in a letter to me this week, never mentioned the widely reported deal with Alex Korda; but wrote that the stories about his ill feeling toward J. Arthur Rank, attributed to family relationships, were untrue. "For years I've been a fairly persistent thorn in the side of my father-in-law, Maurice Ostrer," said Mason, "and he's still a Rank executive. Pam and I are going to do a play, titled 'Bathsheba,' which is based on an incident in King David's life. We thought an amusing alternate title would be 'King David Had a Dream,' or should it be 'MCA Had a Dream?' Good wishes from us all." . . . MacDonald Carey is going to leave farming to the farmers after this. While doing a bit of harvesting on his ranch, he threw his sacroiliac out of place. I did the same thing when moving my piano from one corner of a room to another. What do I think I am! . . . Jerry Wald, the Warners producer, writes from New York that the night club business is way off and he supposes that the honeymoon for show business is over, too. "Only the good shows are doing well," said he. Sid Caesar, who made a picture for Columbia, is a minor sensation at the Copacabana. Ella Logan has a hit in "Finnegan's Folly." Greg Bautzer is here with you-know-whom." (That's a long way to travel for a date.) Ray Bolger is over his jaundice and out of the hospital. Sinclair Lewis' new book is very good. It deals with the colored problem in the South.

Don't Rush

Anita Colby's pals are trying to marry her off. Voldemar Vetluguin, for the twelfth straight year, sent her a case of champagne with the hope "that he" would help drink it at her wedding. The most likely bridegroom is Frank Ryan, head of Wall Street's Bache & Co., who flies out here just to spend an hour with the beautiful face . . . Joan Fontaine had her portrait printed by Paul Clements to surprise Bill Dozier on his birthday. But it's no longer a surprise. Bill heard her making a date with Paul, and the truth came out. Clements, incidentally, takes his wife to Haiti for three months. Paulette Goddard has a portrait of herself done by him. Mervyn Leroy had it painted when he was going with Paulette . . . Joe Schenck will be winging his way to South America by April. He's a mighty good-will ambassador to those south of the border countries . . . Peggy Ryan will feature her restaurant, The Ryan Pan, in the college picture, "Good Old Eli," which she'll make with Donald O'Connor . . . Harry Sugarman, of the Beverly Tropics, says those presently complaining about their income taxes can be divided into two classes; men and women.

Nelson B. Bell About the Showshops

Berlin Is 1 Up, 1 Down For 'Blue Skies" Fine. Tunes and Weary Plot

THE INDIVIDUAL and collective abilities of Bing Crosby and Fred Astaire, a gorgeous Technicolor production and a competent cast will be more than enough, in the popular view, to counteract the story deficiencies in "Blue Skies."

Joan Caulfield

Both the merits and the demerits of the richly embellished entertainment opening this morning at the Earle are to be attributed solely to Irving Berlin. The 25 or 30 musical numbers scattered through the picture are all his, as are their lyrics. So also is the "story idea," and for that Mr. Berlin should hang his head.

The "plot," unfolded by the flashback method, has been worn so threadbare that it will hardly hold together—except for the brilliant personal talents of those engaged in its present umpteenth trip before the cameras.

"Blue Skies" may be identified most easily, perhaps, as Paramount's twin of "Night and Day." To pay tribute to the tunes of a foremost modern composer it redecorates the antique, backstage yarn of thwarted love and final reconciliation with only slight variations of an ancient formula.

Broken Broadcast

The flashback form of story-telling takes the shape of interruptions of Jed Potter's broadcast of an unfinished "true story," to which he hopes the final chapter may be written that night, if the right girl is listening in.

This fable of Jed's relates how he, as Broadway's top dancer, induced Mary O'Hara, most beautiful member of the chorus, to join him in "just one drink" after the final performance of their New York run. The pretext is that he can get her a lead part in a new Dillingham production and thus make it possible for her to remain in New York instead of going on the road tour. But Mary doesn't want to remain in New York—until she is charmed into a change of mind by Jed's former vaudeville partner, who now is the singing proprietor of the little night spot where they drop in for that "just one." That would be Johnny Adams.

From this point on, the spectator discovers himself plodding around the three sides of the old, familiar triangle, with Jed losing his girl, Johnny losing his wife and the whole thing coming out right side up when Jed engineers Mary's appearance at the broadcast on which Johnny is appearing as guest star.

The 30th Squab

With the substitution of Johnny's addiction to selling his night club and opening a new one at some remote spot on the map for the irresistible lure of a new operatta, the motivation of "Blue Skies" is identical with that of "Night and Day."

"Night and Day" was accepted as a tophole technicolor musical and so is "Blue Skies," but it has been said that no one can eat a squab every day for 30 days and like it quite as well on the thirtieth as he did on the first, if he can manage it at all.

Mr. Berlin might easily have evaded all charges of staleness by presenting his pretentious opus as a revue rather than a "book" musical comedy. Forgetting its moldy story, it is a whale of a show.

Not all, but a comfortable majority of the 25 or 30 Berlin songs are sung by Bing Crosby, as Johnny Adams. Fred Astaire, the Jed Potter, interrupts his own broadcast to introduce some of the finest dancing he has ever brought to the screen. As Mary, the object of their friendly rivalry, Joan Caulfield fairly fulfills the scenario's requirement that she be the "most beautiful girl in the world."

Billy De Wolfe is almost constantly present, as Der Bingle's shadow, in the interest of comedy, and Olga San Juan sings and dances her way to favor in a number of the innumerable scenes, each attuned to the mood of some one or other of the amazingly complete album of Berlin melodies.

Nostalgic Routine

We have no intention of listing the complete catalogue of 32 songs, which the producers insist is the actual number heard in the film, but a few of them deserve to be singled out.

To one observer, the hit of them all is "A Couple of Song and Dance Men," in which Crosby and Astaire offer an acutely nostalgic and amusing facsimile of what "hoofers" used to be like back in the early days of the varieties.

The opening number, "A Pretty Girl Is Like a Melody," has never been more spectacularly presented since John Steele first sang it on Broadway, and Olga San Juan and Astaire convert Ethel Water's unforgettable "Heat Wave" into a monumental "production number" that provides the picture's melodramatic climax—if so transparent a plot may be said to have one.

Fred's most cleverly contrived solo dance is executed to "Puttin' on the Ritz," easily one of the brightest highlights of all.

Along midway of the footage, Billy De Wolfe is permitted to interpolate a specialty—tired shopper who has dropped into a cocktail lounge to rest her feet—that has no connection whatever with anything that has gone before or comes after, but is neatly and effectively done.

The ensembles are uniformly stunning, even when action and dramatic developments are at their lowest ebb.

If you have any favorite Berlin tune, it probably will bob up somewhere during the hour and 44 minutes of this glittering business.

That it runs to such length precludes anything more than newsreel and cartoon on the supporting bill.

Show Time

STAGE

National—"Up in Central Park," at 8:30 p. m.

Gayety—Burlesque, continuous from 11:30 a. m. to 5 p. m., and at 8:30 p. m.

SCREEN

Capitol—"The Mighty McGurk," at 11 a. m., 1:45, 4:30, 7:15 and 10 p. m. Stage shows at 1, 3:45, 6:30, and 9:15 p. m.

Palace—"The Razor's Edge," at 10:45 a. m., 1:25, 4:05, 6:45 and 9:45 p. m.

Earle—"Blue Skies," at 10:45 a. m., 1, 3:15, 5:30, 7:35 and 9:45 p. m.

Metropolitan—"The Thief of Bagdad," at 11:40 a. m., 1:40, 3:45, 5:45, 7:45, and 9:50 p. m.

RKO-Keith's—"Song of the South," at 11:15 a. m., 1:20, 3:25, 5:30, 7:35 and 9:40 p. m.

Columbia—"Till the Clouds Roll By," at 11 a. m., 1:35, 4:15, 6:50 and 9:35 p. m.

Little—"Henry V," at 2:30 and 8:30 p. m.

Hippodrome—"Notorious Gentleman," at 2:05, 4, 6, 7:55 and 9:50 p. m.

Pix—"Rain," at 2, 4:45, 7:30 and 10:05 p. m. "I Cover the Waterfront," at 3:25, 6:10 and 8:55 p. m.

Ambassador—"Blue Skies," at 1:10, 3:15, 5:20, 7:25 and 9:40 p. m.

Trans-Lux—Short subjects and newsreels, continuous, 10:15 a. m. to midnight.

Bliss Party Compliments Rudolph Serkin

MR. AND MRS. ROBERT WOODS BLISS entertained at a reception and buffet supper last evening in honor of Rudolph Serkin, noted conductor, who appeared with the National Symphony Orchestra at Constitution Hall last evening. It was the first time since Mr. and Mrs. Bliss moved from Dumbarton Oaks to their home on 28th st. that they have given an after-concert party.

Dr. Hans Kindler, National Symphony conductor, was a guest, and also there was Doda Conrad, well-known singer, who recently returned from overseas service in the Army. Mr. Conrad will return to France for concert appearances following his discharge from the Army.

In Pittsburgh

Mr. and Mrs. James Adler are spending a few days in Pittsburgh, Pa.

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